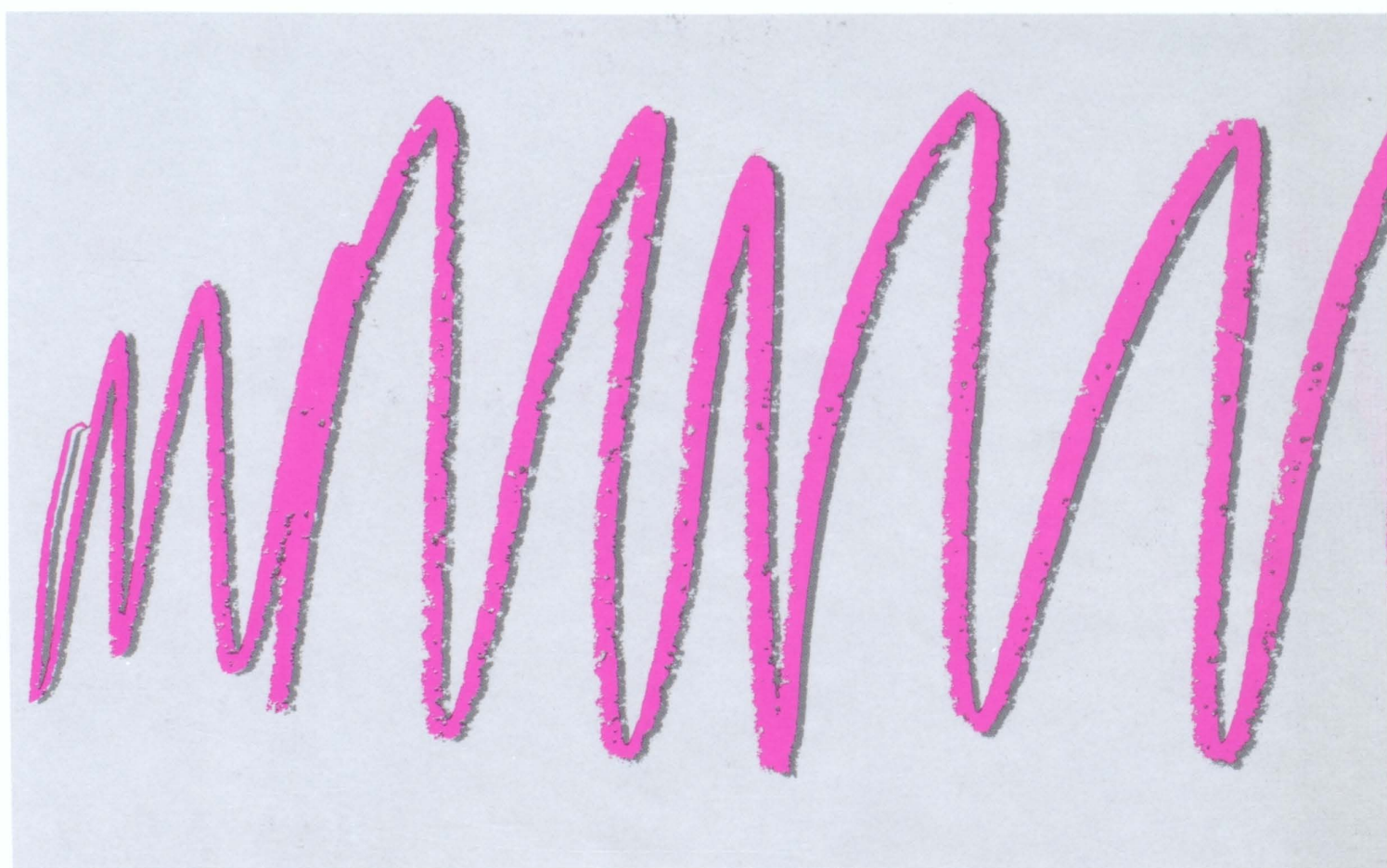


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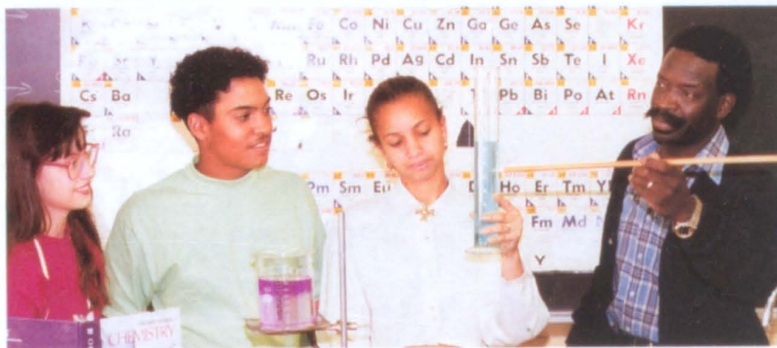
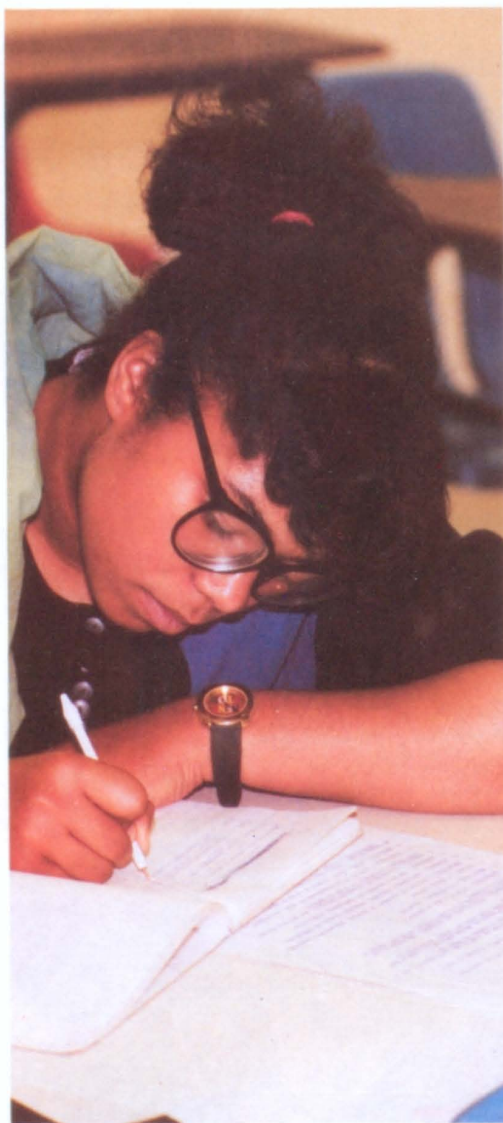
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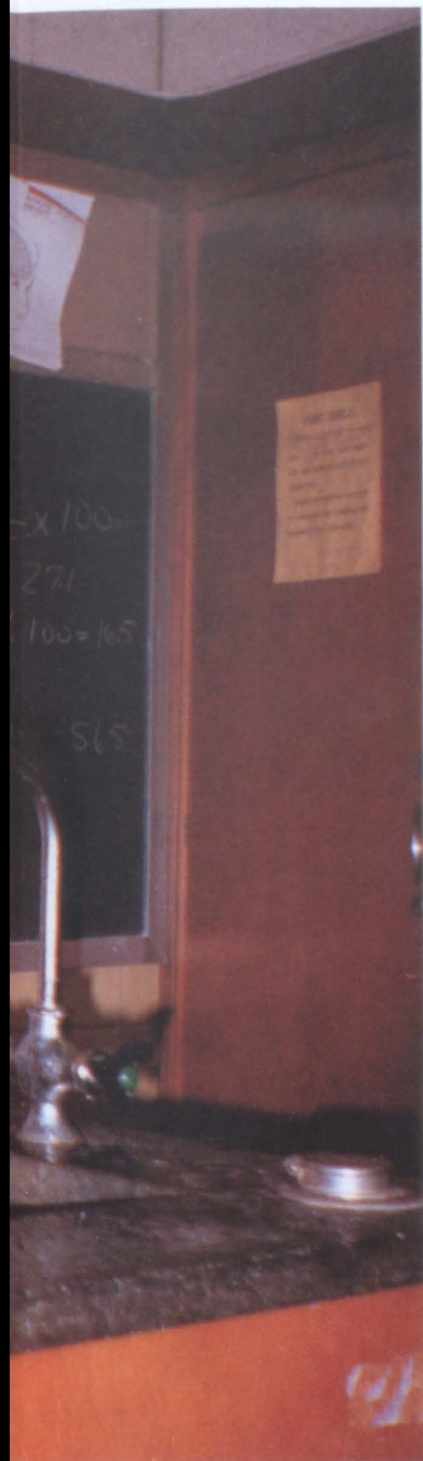
Water seeps through the hands of a hard worker, as she takes a break from chemistry.

A strong effort to make the grade is all one can ask for while taking an English exam.



A teacher tries to explain his theory of solution equilibrium.





A picture perfect shot could use some touching up.

Truth HONOR and Light

It is an established principle that has become one of the most influential and inspiring aspects of our way of life. "Truth" has existed since the dawn of civilization. And just one hundred years ago, the 1892 senior class of Newark High used it as one of the symbols to represent its feelings about their school.

Long ago, the Class of 1892 set a goal to be the elite group of the renown Newark High. Many professionals emerged from that unique class of sophisticated young adults. Now, a period of ten decades has altered the worlds technology yet not damaged our quest for the basic principles of truth, honor, and light. As graduates of Barringer High School, our strongest efforts have been to join our alumni and become superiors of our era. Having gone

through thirteen long years of educational experiences, the outstanding class of 1992 has adopted a fundamental truth that will continue to grow in future years.

We too have come from afar and have made the true spirit of the present Barringer High a remarkable and extraordinary hope for a greater tomorrow. From the time brick roads were constructed to the present, our alumni have contributed a great deal to the process of progress and reform. Through these one hundred years young minds have been collaborating to develop mentally and morally, by instruction. At the present, the senior class of 1992 holds future jewels, both professionals and blue collar workers, all prepared to carry out a similar mission to the class of 1892.

Seniors with seniority prepare for a class shot.



From boys to men, three gentlemen smile for the camera.

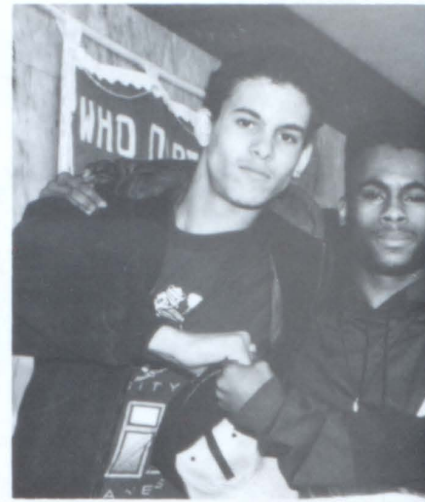
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"Honor" is a word that can take many forms. In the late 1800's the mere glimpse at a neighbor's test was a breach of honor. It was a principle that all students strived to envelope and display in their everyday lives.

The era from 1892 - 1992 has witnessed the ascent of our school to a high level of visibility. Barringer is honored for being the first free public high school in the state of New Jersey, and the third to be estab-

lished in the United States.

The class of "92" must continue the tradition of the past. It is through the understanding of the word honor that we will become senators, judges, surgeons, writers, or even the president of our country. Honor will take the members of the class of 1992 to the peak of their potential, and someday create an entirely new level of distinguished scholars.



Seniors share a hug of friendship.



Students learn how to make salt from Sodium and Chlorine.



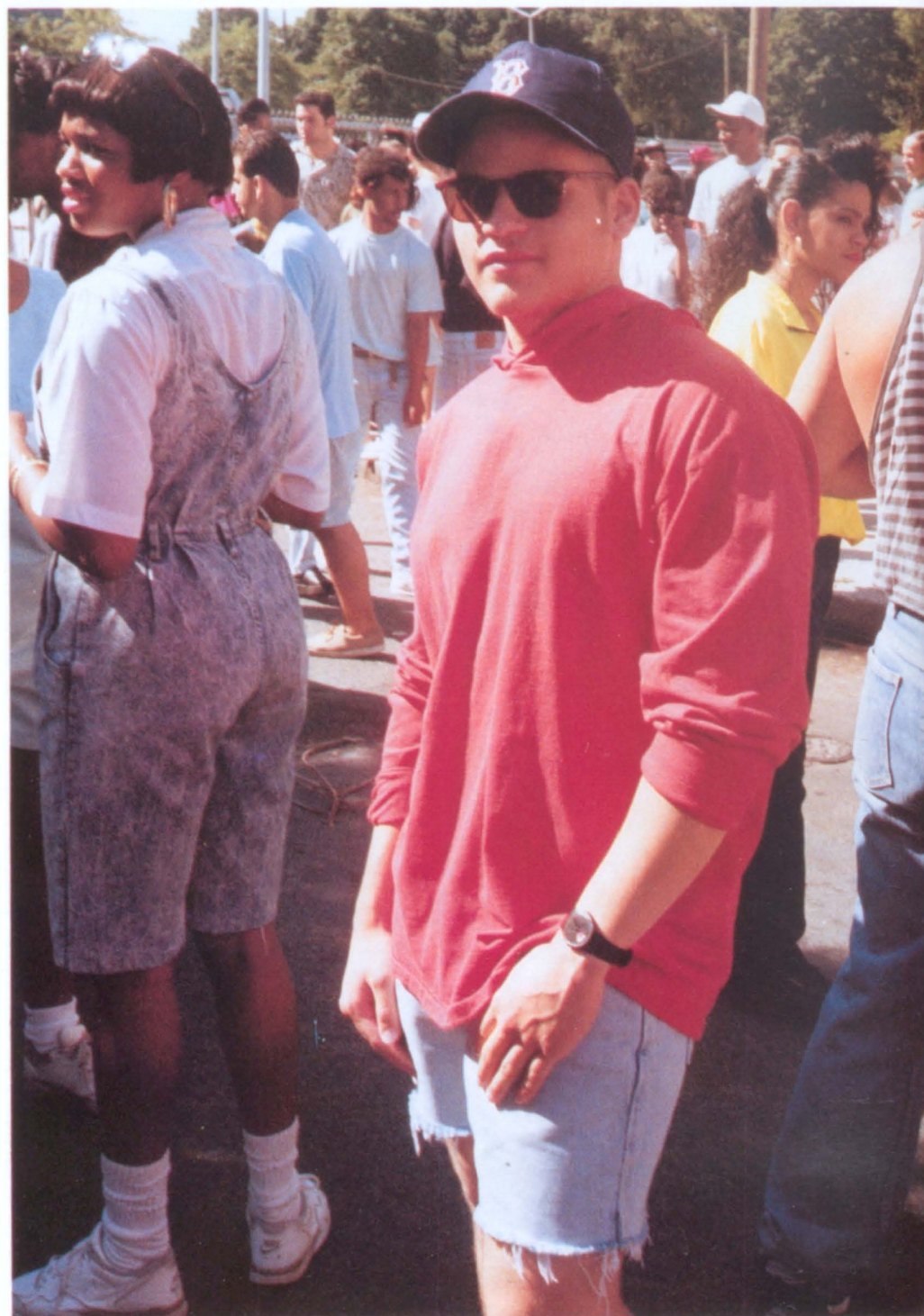
A talented student strives to work up to her potential.

The Supremes prepare for their debut by sharing a big hug for friendship.

A group of guys get on their hands and knees preparing themselves for a football game.



A form of stress relief practiced by someone who's hoping to get the right answer from a friend.



One of our favorites tries to sunbathe during a school fire drill. Unfortunately, he's got too much clothing on.



Two students take a second glance at their notes before final exams.

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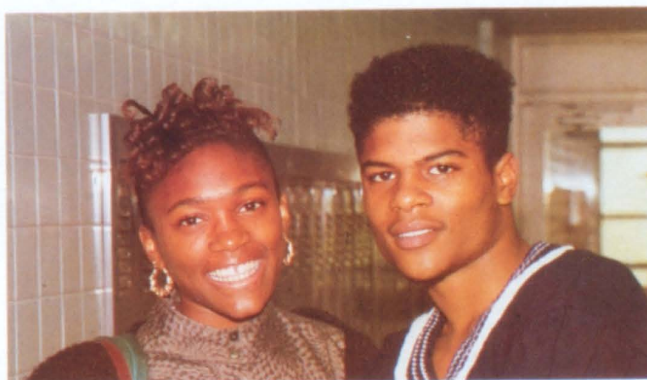
Light represents one of the three major elements that have closely bound the alumni of our school. It is the knowledge, information, and educational enlightenment that comes from the classrooms at Barringer High.

The generations that graduated from Barringer left us a legacy to help us understand the past, so we can perfect the future. In the many volumes and journals written during the late 1800's, and early 1900's, we see a major development from the 19th century student into the 20th century scholar.

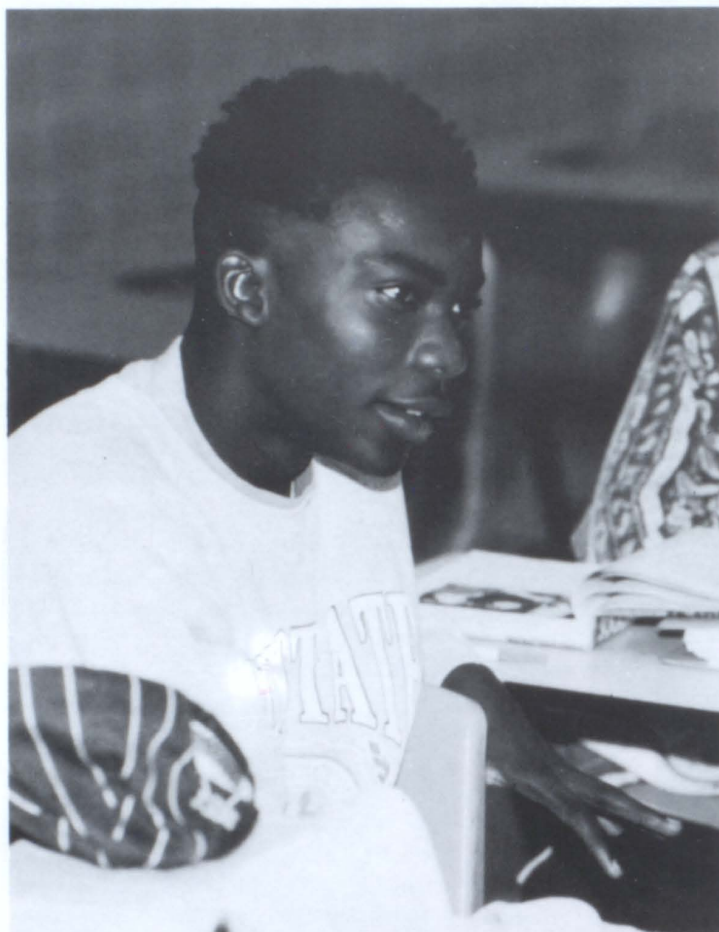
From a society numb to the causes and

effects of the devastating wars that have afflicted children, we have learned compatibility. Our duty is to instruct the young of the future and rebuild the minds of those of the present. With the light of knowledge illuminating our path, we will create a more sensitive and humane environment.

The "light" that reflects in our rear view mirror is a distant image of what we once were. We now look to the future. And while "truth" will liberate us from the shackles of hypocrisy, "honor" will allow us to become a part of the heritage of Barringer High School.



Smiles aren't hard to come by for these teens.





T^{Truth} HONOR *and Light*

A century ago the formerly Newark High began making changes to help the school receive some type of recognition that would distinguish them from all the other schools in the state. 1892 marked the year for the adoption of a slogan which became our motto- "Truth, Honor, and Light"- symbolic of the aims of Barringer students. The Barringer Girls League presented the school in 1923 with a banner, which became its official seal. In this hand-embroidered banner, the royal blue represented Truth, the white stood for Honor, and the sun symbolized Light. Our motto distinguishes the many years this institution has served our community and children.

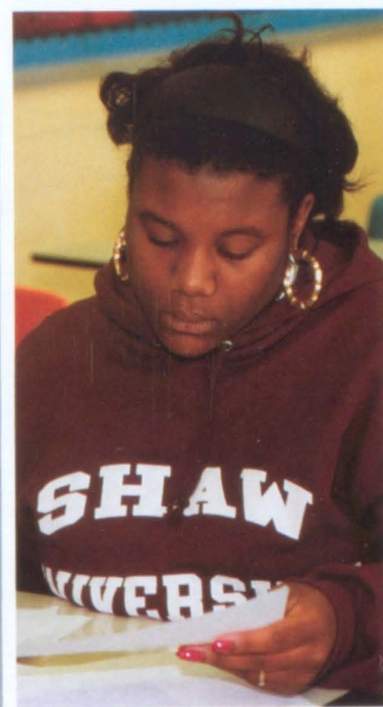
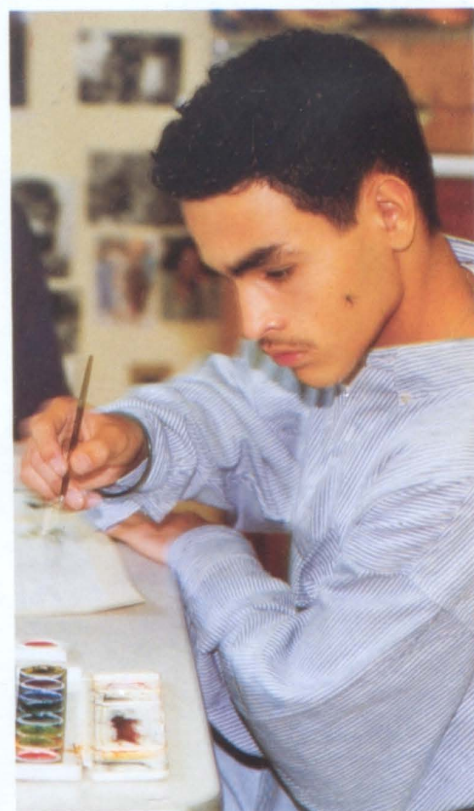
These five letter words that the Class of 1992 has emphasized, come together to form the bond that has united us all. It has presented a new meaning in the hearts of the future leaders of America. We therefore show the pride of the Barringer Blue Bear, our mascot, and share the one hundred year anniversary of the emblem "Truth, Honor, and Light" with everyone who helped create the Class of 1992.

We, the Editors, would like to dedicate these uniquely designed and creative pages to Mr. Sal Di Gerlando, who helped us get through our troubled times, and to all of the faces embedded on these pages.





A Blue Bear cub shows the pride of the Barringer Blues, hoping to be heard.



Students taking a brisk walk through the park find themselves overlooking a bridge.







Student Life



Honored Royalty

"Would you vote for me?"

"How much do I have to pay?"

"25 cents a signature."

"What are you running for?"

"Homecoming . . ."

For several days seniors, and underclassmen, bearing yellow sheets of paper walked through the hallways and stairways in search of quarters and signatures. "There was a lot of sweat involved because so many people wanted to vote for me. I ran through all parts of the cafeteria and was nearly late to my English IV class," said one senior candidate. But, what major event deserved so much attention- quarters, signatures . . . and sweat? It was the revival of Barringer Homecoming.

Not many people can recall the last time a homecoming king and queen were crowned because it was so long ago. The main event which transpired on November 16, 1991, was instituted by the Booster club advised by Mrs. Cynthia Salzano, and the Senior Class Committee led by Wilson Martinez. This homecoming ceremony resurrected a time honored tradition at our school.

The ballots were in and counted under close supervision. The polished trophies stood on display at the entrance of the building, as the

king, queen, and royal court were selected.

Two seconds left of the 2nd quarter of the Barringer-Montclair football game, and the big event would begin . . .

The crowd cheered as the two Mercedes Benz convertibles roared into School Stadium. At halftime, Principal O'Neal stepped out of the control booth, and walked onto the field to award Homecoming King Stephen Gist, Queen Daisy Velasquez, and their royal court . . .

The cool atmosphere, suitable for honoring blue and white royalty, was filled with excitement and revelation as Mr. O'Neal placed the crown on the king and queen, and wrapped medals around members of the court including Prince Isiah Woods and Princess Kim Brown.

As the band played, King Gist and Queen Velasquez sat in one car, and Prince Woods and Princess Brown sat in the other. Each smiled and waved at the spectators as the cars encircled the school stadium, thus adding a touch of class to this already stylish scene.

It was the first time in many years that royalty was crowned at the Homecoming event. The Booster club, in conjunction with the senior class, may have revived an old Blue Bear tradition that lingered in the air for so long.



School Daze

The average school day began as soon as the 7 a.m. alarm sounded. From a short distance you could hear Mariah Carey's voice singing "I Don't Want To Cry" right in your bedroom! You wondered whatever happened to Beastie Boys "Fight For Your Right (to party)." Forced to get up by the evil, sinister force called mom, your weakened body struggled to make it to the bathroom awake.

After the average Blue Bear stepped foot out the door, wheels were either the bus or mom's beat up old station wagon. But, some were fortunate, or lucky enough to have friends who had their own cars.

The 8:30 bell rang and "You should have been in you homeroom ten minutes ago!" was heard as you sashayed down the hall. But the Bears were restless and refused to go to the cages. Just when you made that final morning trip to your locker, your daytime home entertainment center, you heard Mrs. Harris shout from a distance "No lockers . . . go to your period one class," which you chose to ignore.

Then you headed straight to your English class doing the waltz, and stopped at every possible watering

hole to talk to someone in your posse. Once you neared your death you beheld a vision: Ms. Witch by the door awaiting your presence.

You quickly received your undeserved lecture, and you were sent to the principal's office to receive your early morning detention slip.

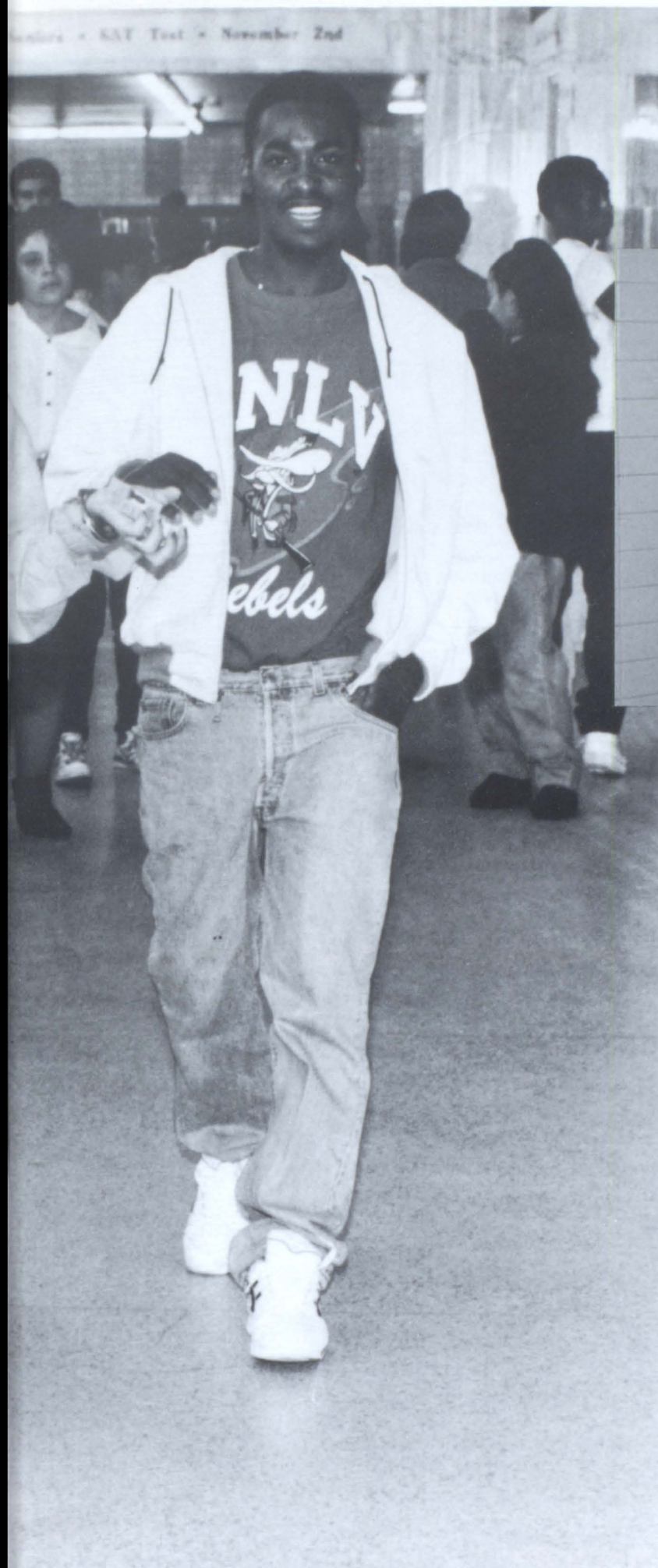
It was time to go to lunch where the food was best for suicide attempts, and the company got duller every time a "brain" butted into your conversations. After the food settled like a bomb in the Sahara Desert, you strained to get up and finish the rest of your school day.

You fell asleep through the rest of your classes and said ten "Hail Mary's" in hope that you'd get out of school before you croaked! You even had nightmares about going to school for another 180 days . . .

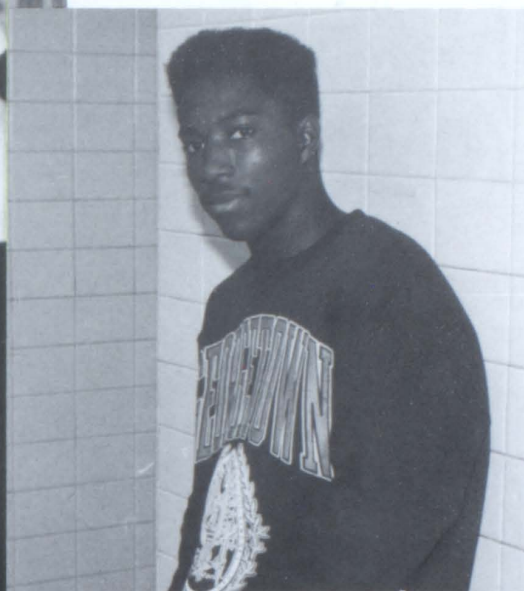
R-I-N-G! It was finally 2:30 and time to get refreshed. What a relief! But what were you going to do now? Have fun of course! Make up for the six hours you spent hustling with teachers and other staff members. Oh! And you couldn't forget to celebrate because you'd just made it through another day!



Most teens don't express their anger towards school work. Some, like the seniors pictured, become enraged at the sight of worksheets being handed out.



A student takes a break just before going to gym class.



Solving mathematical concepts isn't easy. Some students get help by borrowing a calculator.

Two students make it seem like fun to go to class on time.



Baby Talk

Think back several years when you were the size of a football, and just beginning to glance out into the world. All the attention and regard your weary smile received. How excited big people would get when they got a glimpse of you. "Oh! How adorable. Cutsy-cutsy-coo." were some of their comments.

Years went by, and you eventually took your first few steps. Tripping over your feet and falling on your head, you brought some of your mothers expensive china down with you. But who cared! Oh,

the tears in papas eyes. Momma was so pleased with her cute, little child-someday to become a "foul mouthed teenager". And your sister out of jealousy began to wear push-up bras to get some of the same attention.

You soon graduated from the diapers to potty. But, your mom and dad will never forget the accidents in between. In fact, the stains probably still exist on the carpet and rugs as evidence of the misses.

It was a time filled with discouraging moments: those bruises that devel-

oped on your bottom when you tried to ride a bike with no brakes; your first poor report card; and the heart pounding moments when you broke out into a cold sweat because "Slick" threatened to meet you outside after school.

Now, over seventeen years have elapsed and you turned out to be a star. You've grown out of those corduroy pants and into button-fly jeans. You even had your own posse at school. Everybody knew you and wanted to be your friend- because you were so cool. Yet even though

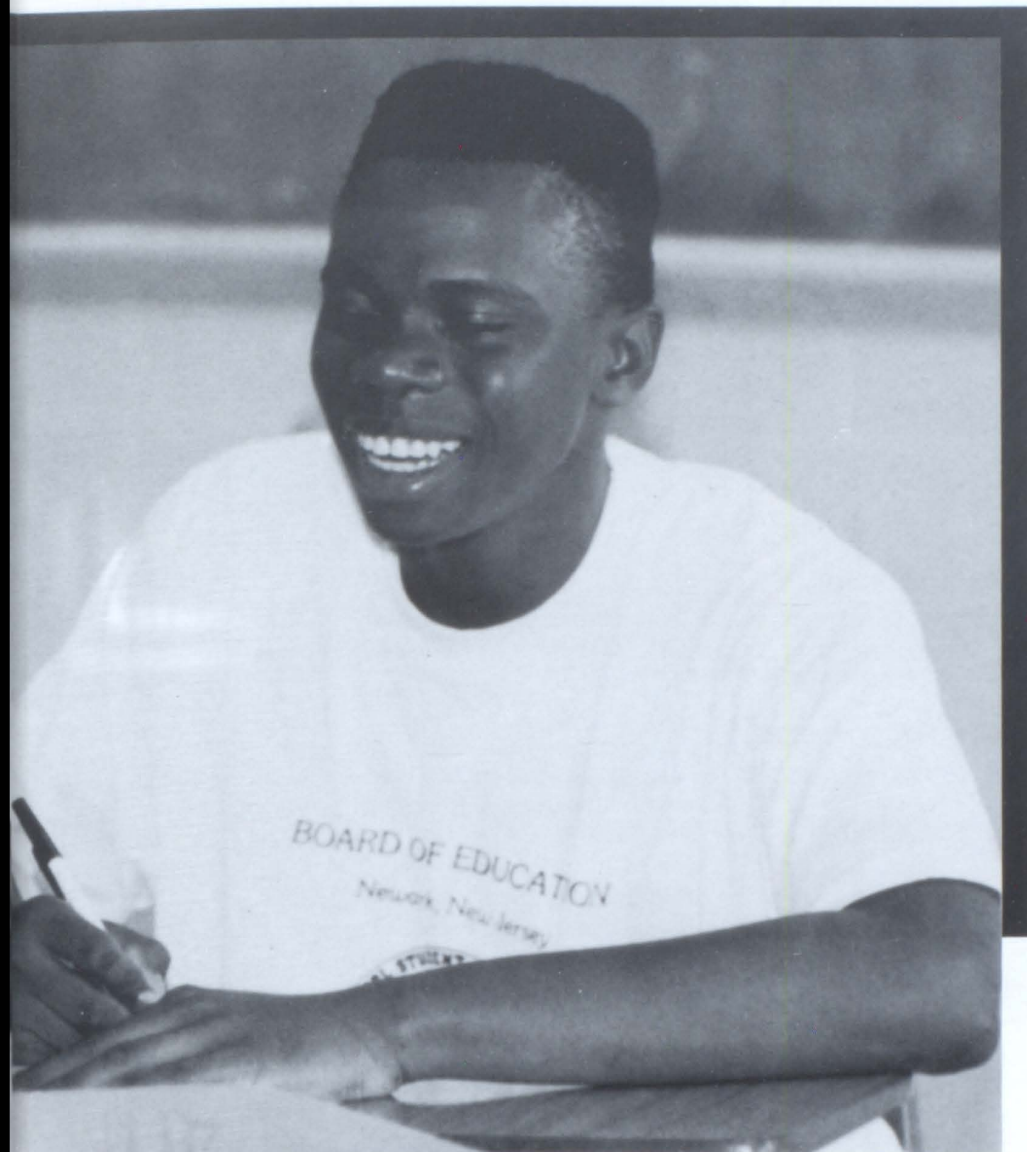
you hung out on "Broad and Market" and played around in half of your classes, you turned out to be a fine and responsible young adult, accomplishing many of your goals and ready to take the world by storm. And even with all the good and bad occurrences in your short life, you realize that no matter whether you succeed or fail at what you do, there exists no one more proud of your accomplishments than the person who saw you stumble at your first steps: your parents.



Mrs. Rice watches a student, as she experiments by trial and error.

Most students will have to take a typing course in order to improve their typing skills. Here, a student gets a head start by learning on her own.





A teen recalls a historical moment when he fell on his bottom as he learned to walk.

Students sometimes fuss over writing essays. This student makes it look so easy.



Some students paint pictures of the world and how their communities looked years ago. Others simply paint portraits of themselves and what they will look like in the latter future.



Two ladies, with Mrs. Brice, smile as they reminisce about the past, and make plans for the future. They know what they want, and are very determined to get it.



Curtis Jones effectively sings I'm Still Waiting by *Johnny Gill*

T. Muhammad, J. Muhammad, and K. Harris want you to know that Latifah's Had It Up to Here by *Queen Latifah*.



S. French, D. Robinson, D. Williamson have found their love Finally by *Cece Peniston*.

J. Torres, M. Guzman, and M. Osorio share their melodious voices doing three songs by *The Supremes*.

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What was the closest thing to having EnVogue, Johnny Gill, Naughty by Nature and Shabba Ranks live in our school auditorium in '91? How about live entertainment for students to enjoy?

Ms. Antoinette Baskerville, teacher and drama instructor, answered these questions and more with the annual presentation of "Puttin on the Hits" in which students lipsynched the words to their favorite songs, and let the vibrations emanating from the tunes energize their bodies.

Long hours of practice and auditioning for the big event which unfolded on November 21, 1991, proved an inevitable asset in making this performance a hit. It was a chance for teens to explore new horizons and place themselves in someone else's shoes. "It's fun," one performer said, "to just dress up, go on stage and pretend to be a famous singer that others look up to. The only thing you've got to remember is to move your lips

while the singers sing. Oh, and . . . act like you're enjoying yourself."

The big day for the show neared, and everyone involved had butterflies in their stomach. Lights were fixed on center stage and the curtains opened on the auditorium floor. Cameras were set and focused. And, action was yet to come.

Silence dawned on everyone as the perennial master of ceremonies Wallace Arrington, charmed the audience with his corny jokes. But as soon as the lights dimmed and the music started, everyone felt the vibrations of the sounds within them.

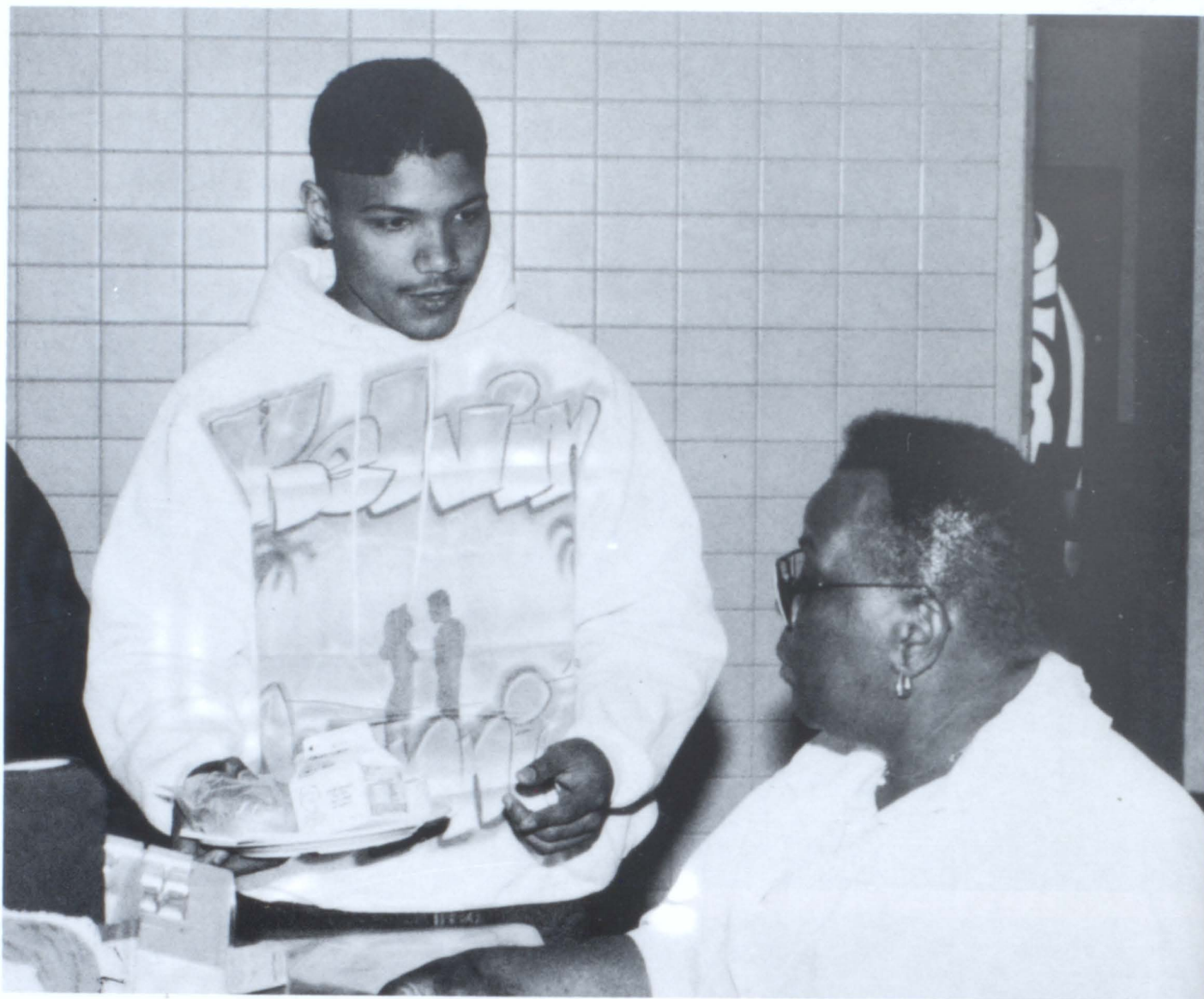
The rappers mouthed the words, the artists strutted to the beat, and the music from the reverberating speakers blasted the audience in this outstanding display of talent quality. One of the many spectators at the show exclaimed, "This is just a small portion of the great talent hidden in this school!"



K. Davis sings his heart out with Just the Two of Us by Chubb Rock.



D. Velasquez, T. Heyward, K. Taylor, and L. Brackett pose strikingly while singing Don't Go by En Vogue.



When Hunger Strikes . . .

"Maa, what's for dinner?"

"Hey, do you know what's for lunch?"

"I'm hungry. Let's go out to eat."

Almost every student has been caught saying one of these quotes at sometime in the school year. And just as well when you have an itch, you scratch it, when teens got hungry, they fed their little stomachs. But where did they all go to ease their hunger? What did they eat?

Early in the morning, what teens have for breakfast is an option. But once their bodies are in school, cafeteria food was their only choice. And it was rather obvious what students preferred when their menu's called for everyday bologna and cheese with a banana or cool hamburgers with mashed potatoes and two slices of whole wheat bread. "Sometimes I didn't eat at all because I'd rather have spent my .70 cents at the corner grocery store afterschool," said one student in the midst of an eating strike.

The idea of waiting until 2:30 to eat lunch was shared by many. Yet there were those who'd sneak out of school at lunch hour and go to Frank's for a slice of pizza or Tony's for a hot dog with chilli by the park and risked getting caught by truancy. But several seniors said they'd rather have prayed for a fire drill and "... go to the corner store so they wouldn't get in trouble, yet we'd be able to Eat! Eat! Eat!"

Although some students do have their preference to eat anywhere away from school, those who'd stay had their own stories to tell. "It was as if we'd get the same food for weeks. But, over all, no matter what food they had, thank goodness they also sold real potato chips and cake! I could live off of that for a few hours!"

A member of the senior class effectively shows how she deals with her hunger by eating Doritos and drinking lemonade in the midst of a final exam.





Top 10 Favorite Foods

1. Pizza
2. Cereal
3. Candy
4. Pork chops con
tostones
5. Ice Cream
6. Steak sandwiches
7. Cheese dogs
8. Chicken McNuggets
9. Chinese food
10. Sea food

Top 10 Disliked Foods

1. Cafeteria food
2. Liver
3. Fish
4. Spinach
5. Brussel sprouts
6. Broccoli
7. Grits
8. Beef Sausage
9. Pickles
10. Corned Beef



Two ladies take a break at the corner store before school.

A student waits for her 100% beef hot dog.

Lighting Pathways to the Future

How did over 250 students decide on which college to attend? Visiting each of the schools under consideration was one technique. And, attending city wide college fairs was another way.

Seniors were invited to attend college fairs held at Barringer and other colleges in New Jersey. With the help of their guidance counselors, and other faculty members, students had the opportunity to acquire information, applications, and dates of open houses from a variety of schools, and use this data to their benefit.

Rutgers University, Seton Hall, Monmouth College and Kean College were among the 35 New Jersey universities and colleges represented at these fairs. It was a chance for students to not only ask questions in reference to the colleges, but for college representatives to meet prospective college bound seniors.

Choosing a college may have been one of the toughest decisions seniors faced, but applying was not any easier. After selecting colleges, came the actual application process. Some seniors, with the aid of the guidance counselors, were able to complete forms in less than 30 minutes. But the work didn't stop there. Scholastic Aptitude Test scores had to be mailed, and we must not forget the most important factor in the application- the college essay.

The request would be as simple as : write

a personal statement about yourself. "It took me over two hours to write my essay and edit it", commented a senior who was getting his transcripts at the guidance office. Most students found it to be the "second best way to communicate with admissions officials at the colleges and universities."

So, what was the best way to communicate with admissions officers aside from writing to them? One student managed to give a personal response to that question. "By attending the college fairs, I found that it was easier to talk to representatives than going to the college dressed in a suit and tie, and meeting them in an office. The fairs I attended shed light on dim pathways that I, and many other students, previously feared before accessing this valuable experience."



A student talks her future over with a college representative.



A senior gets a head start by reading college guides.

Students take a break after attending a college workshop.



Right Lights Big People

Taking pictures of people can be very exciting and rewarding. But for the subjects being posed, it can be a very frightening experience. And what could be more sweat producing than to wear a "goofy" outfit, and be pestered by a man who constantly shifts your body into all sorts of silly positions.

The time of the year that seniors tried to avoid arrived, and everyone knew it! Scenes of girls with fancy hair-do's and guys with their hair greased back was evidence that a mugger existed out there, and his target was the senior class.

Lorstan Studios made a long trip from Union, NJ to capture on celluloid the extraordinary faces of the senior class of 1992. Strobe lights flashed everywhere in rooms 122 and 102 leaving bewildered students

tographer attempted to make students laugh by telling jokes and making funny faces. "I smiled so much on one shot that you could hardly see my eyes!" another senior said as she recovered from that breathtaking moment when the camera went "click".

"What contemporary look?" As far as clothing were concerned, not many cared how they dressed. On hot, summer days when pictures were scheduled to be taken, some students wore jean shorts, skippies and Champion t-shirts. Some girls wore summer dresses and sandals. Because of the warm weather, students chose not to be pictured in regular clothing, just cap and gown, tuxedo or drape. Yet, there were some who were pampered from head to toe. Their most important features- the face and



with the colors of the spectrum flashing before their eyes.

And although the ladies shared hair-spray bottles and lipstick for that picture perfect moment, the guys were much more thrilled to behold. "Where's my comb? Hey, is there a mirror in here? I wanna see how I look!" And yet there was the one question that was most often asked by the male species that no one had expected. "Can I reschedule my appointment? My hair doesn't look good today and I don't have any moose!"

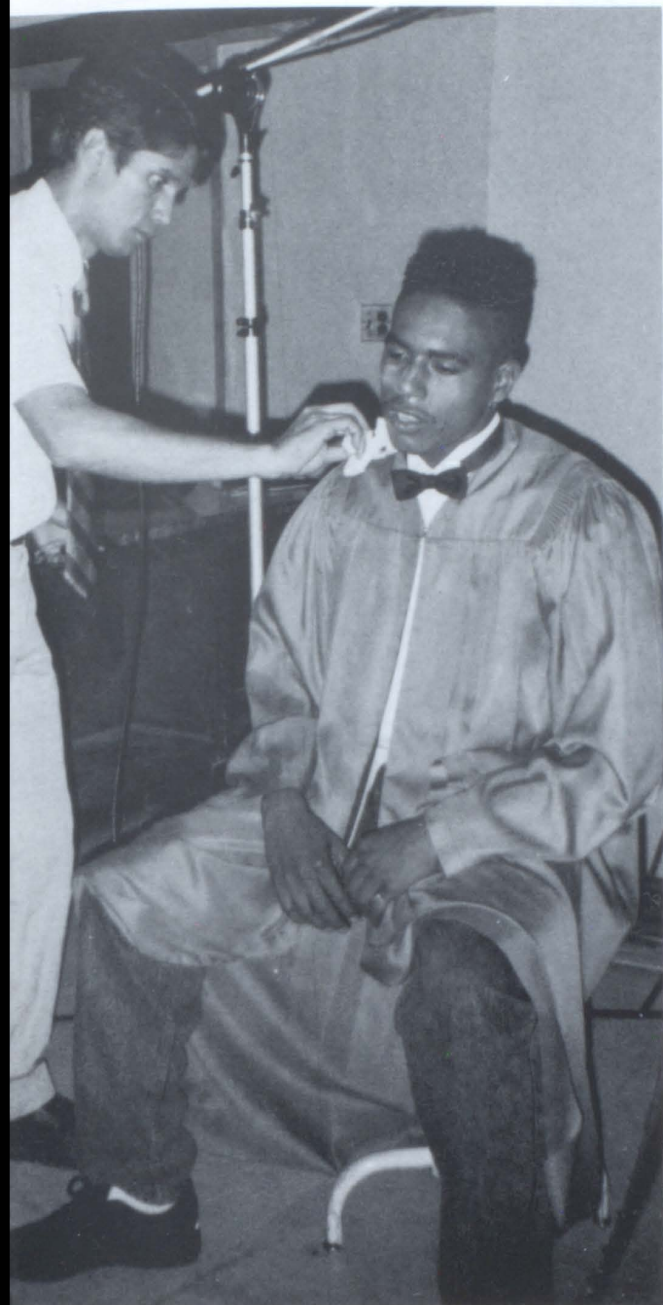
Once students were situated in the stool and positioned just right, it was "lights, camera, action!" However, the one thing that could make a difference in the quality of their portrait appeared to be the most difficult task. One senior commented, "It was like 'smile, you're on candid camera . . . just don't stick out your tongue, okay.'" Smiles were the most important ingredient in making pictures look elegant. The pho-

of course, the smile, were irresistible. This was indeed one of those days when the clothes didn't make the person!

The students were left penniless by the mugger. Time seemed to stand still until that fateful judgement day. In four to six weeks, the small brown envelope containing senior proofs came in the mail and ended up in the classroom. "Hey, which picture should I use for the yearbook? Wow! I like the way that one came out! OH! How Cute!" Even teachers joined in with the students enthusiasm speculating on the most attractive selections.

But there was some discussion that had very little to do with the proofs themselves. The controversy centered around the unbearable portrait positions that each victim had to experience. After all, some people had difficulty forgetting how awkward their bodies felt as they were tilted to the side, and forced to assume an expression of happiness, when they'd rather have been in the cafeteria eating lunch.





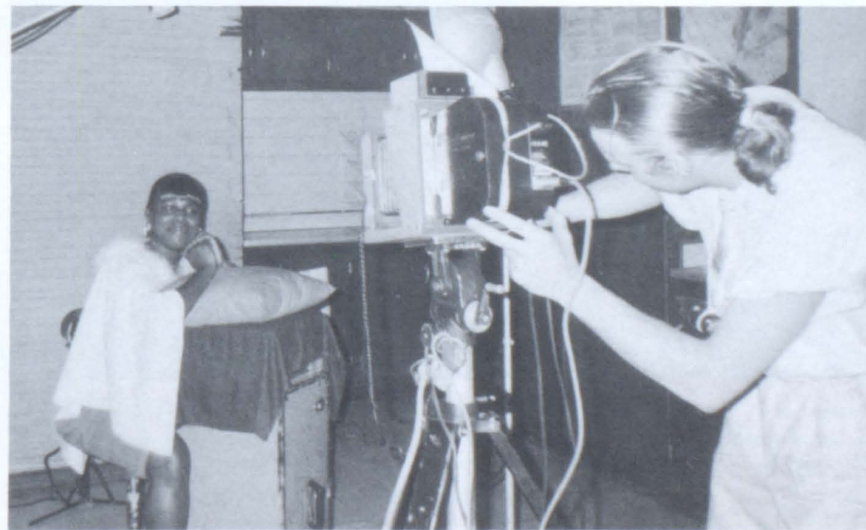
A touch of make up is added to this teen to enhance his beautiful features.



Though frustrated and nervous, a senior manages to display a Kodak smile.



A teen experiences the trouble of having someone put her in a "stiff" situation.



Holding a steady smile and trying not to blink, this senior makes taking pictures very enjoyable.

Grand Finale

The audience in the Sacred Heart Cathedral was hushed in anticipation as *Pomp and Circumstance* played in the background. The aisle was crowded, cameras were loaded with film, and all heads rotated in the direction of the doors. The class of 1992 was expected to make their grand entrance.

Soon caps and gowns all ablaze in blue and white appeared at the entrance. The participants in this historic event, with tears in their eyes, began their momentous march.

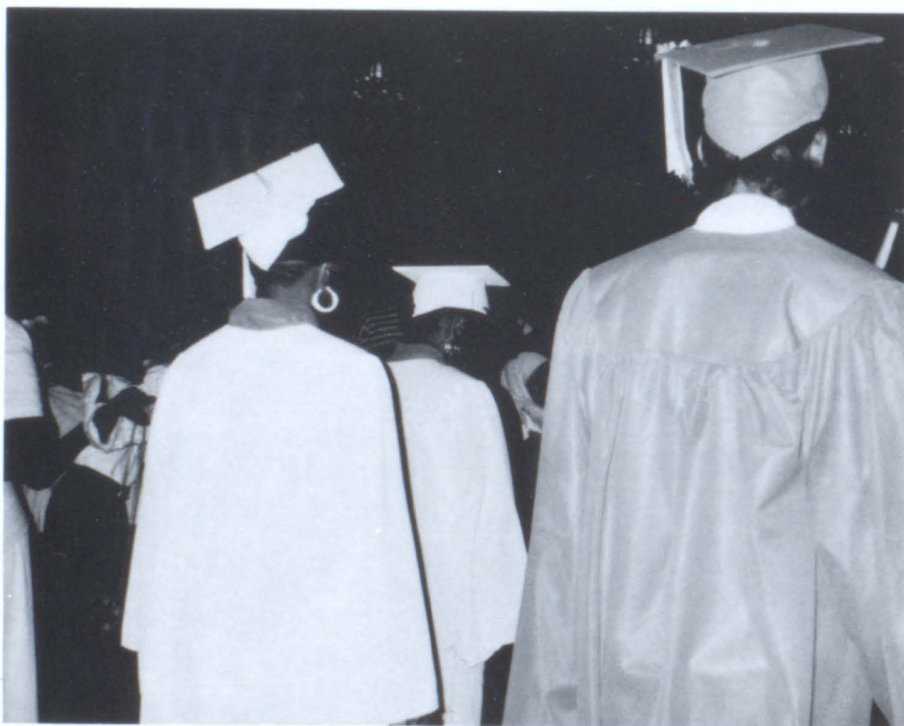
The proud parents and friends rushed to greet the graduates as they exited the Cathedral. Many hearts were filled with contentment, as the years of hard work finally resulted in triumph.

That single piece of paper, signifying the fact that 13 years of schooling was behind them, gave students a sense of

accomplishment, the ability to believe in themselves, and the chance to make a difference. "Their opportunities are limitless . . . they are the best," said the parent of one teen graduate through tear-drenched eyes.

But through all the happiness and tears of joy, sadness poked through the feelings of exaltation into everyone's hearts. For as we scatter to all ends of the globe, this would undoubtedly be the last time we would embrace many of our classmates.

Long, warm hugs and smiles of support were exchanged by the class, as they promised to accept the challenge of life now thrust upon them. Sentiments of long time friendships, and the knot which held the class of 1992 together, helped seniors share a final moment of gratification that will linger forever . . .



Seniors march their final walk as a class, for they no longer would be seen in such unity until a future class reunion.

Four graduates share a last picture together before their departure. How we'll miss the warmth of a good friend's smile!





Truth, Honor, Light
represents the colors blue and white.
A part of a family we at Barringer have become,
establishing foundations to build our future upon.

The greatest victory is in the heart of our youth,
opening the doors to their future anew.
And experiencing challenges the world has to offer,
Adjusting to the hardships learned from each other.

The duration of academic achievements
are binded in the seeds of education.
Blocking out obstacles that get in the way,
we will explore the earth throughout everyday.

Showing a great deal of pride and respect,
we hope to ensure a lasting effect,
That though we are bound to this expeditious world,
we will always represent, as you will have heard,

The Truth, Honor, and Light of Barringer High.



Man's Best Friend

You were upset because you and your mate had an argument, you just failed an English exam, or perhaps you were late to school so you got early morning detention. What better way to alleviate your frustration and anger than to take it out on your locker! It was made of sturdy metal and seemed like the best punching and kicking "bag" available at the time. So why pass up the opportunity to relieve your stress?

Lockers were like a pet to most seniors. They were always there whether you needed them or not. But you didn't have to feed, or walk them -and they never spoke back to you. That's usually why school lockers were at the center of student life.

Locker areas served as a student's second home. The vast majority of them held numerous pictures of birthdays, best friends, boyfriends and girlfriends, and pets, and most of all, a mirror. Oh yes, I almost forgot -there were books buried in those trusty lockers too.

Massive piles of them.

Decorated with precious memorabilia, locker areas became the #1 hot spot in school. They radiated a warm and friendly atmosphere for hanging out and meeting new friends and old buddies, or just for killing time.

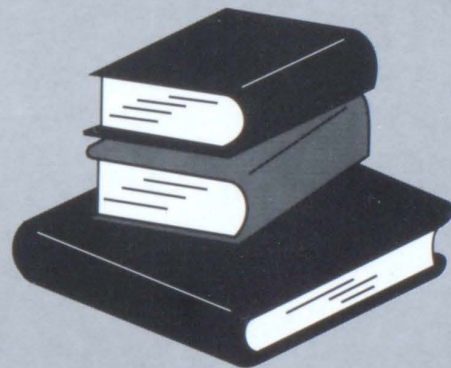
"I always told my friends to meet me by my locker at lunch and after school. I'd always have to go there anyway," said one senior who was cleaning out her locker during check-out day.

Lockers held many memories for seniors, especially for those who had a hard time opening it. I am not not talking about those individuals that packed their lockers so tight with junk that they took their life in their hands whenever they opened it (so why bother). But, I am talking about the many times that you tried the lock combination more than six times before realizing it was the wrong locker. And when you asked someone else to open it because you kept skipping the second

turn in the lock. And finally those moments when you tried so long to open your locker that you'd gone 5 minutes late to your class for nearly one entire week.

Then there were special moments that your locker might have witnessed while you experienced your senior year. There was the first kiss shared by you and your high school sweetheart. And the time when you were pushed against the locker in a brawl with your worst enemy. How the memories linger in your mind. Oh, and what about the time you came to pay that morning visit to your locker only to find it had been broken into! That was just a little more to add to your frustration and stress.

But no matter what the situation was, lockers were always there for you. Even when Vice Principal Iannuzzi would revoke your privileges, lockers would still be there for you to lean on to take a two minute break.



To Tell The TRUTH



"I've had an on and off relationship with a guy for over a year and a half. After we broke

up, we missed each other a lot. So much that when he asks me to be his girl I can't resist saying yes!" P.S.



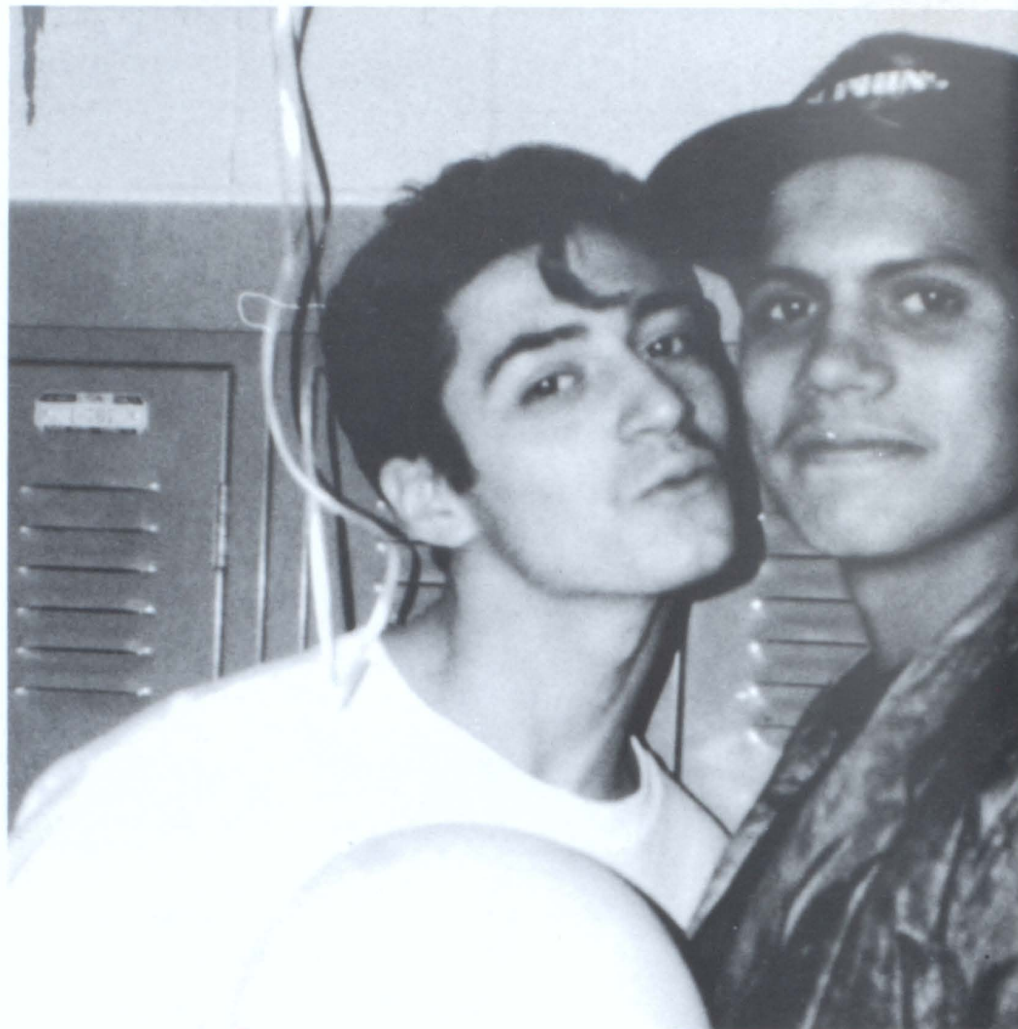
"Although I've never been in love, I think love is when you take your feelings for granted and

thinking of your mates instead . . . being able to trust someone fully and not feel vulnerable . . . being there for each other." T.H.



"When I met my love, I thought he was the most important person in my life. We've been

together for four years and are still together. We respect each other and are dedicated to making our relationship last." T.H.B.



On Valentine's Day, no one really cares what sex you are to give you a kiss!

Can you tell which one's the doll and who's the babe?





True Love?

Falling in love is one of the most wonderful experiences in the world, especially if the relationship is sincere. People believe in growing old with the one they love most, and hold dear. Sharing moments at the park, movies, or just in the home are a few of the greatest pastimes high school lovers can share.

Yet, as time comes and goes, so do high school relationships. Some become sour milk in a cardboard container. Others quickly fade like blue denim jeans. Ah . . . yes! And then there's the pain and hurt that comes from the withdrawal symptoms of that goofy word called "love"!

Have and behold! Shed some light on the past! 'Cause around the corner awaits the man of your dreams, and just a phone call away lies the woman of your choice, both of whom are ready to honor your presence under the sunlit morning.

Your eyes meet and sparks fly above your heads. Hearts beat like a hammer pounding against the hard coarse ground. Oh! The happiness . . . the frustration . . . the surge of inspiration flowing through your bodies as you perceive the face of your future mate. Your hand extends forward, ready to grasp that elusive arm of your vision of loveliness. Prepared to begin the journey of a lifetime, the hand comes closer . . . closer . . . closer . . .

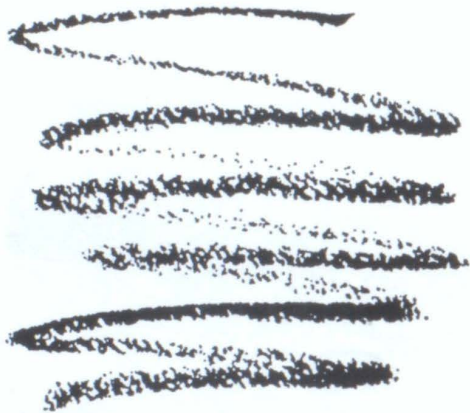
"Wake up sleepyhead! It's time for school!"

You awaken and realize it was just a dream . . .



Seniors share in the fun of raising money for the class of '92.

Two roses are picked out of a garden to display a bright smile for a festive occasion.



ne of these days, I'm gonna find me a place of my own . . . A place where I know I belong . . . "Hadn't you ever felt this way? As if you needed a vacation from life? So you did the most logical thing - you packed your bags and decided to leave everything else behind.

You had found the solution to life. Now all your problems were going to wash away forever. At this time clouds of relief formed in your head.

You took the first plane to Florida to experience a new part of the world. As you closed your eyes on the jet, you felt like an explorer travelling into undiscovered territory."

Suddenly your dream is shattered. "Hey, fish bait! Didn't you owe me money some couple 'a months ago?" Your neck seems to suffer from whiplash as you swivel your head in the direction of the bellowing words you just heard. "Whaa?" It was your so called "friend", whom you beat for 100

bucks while you were in high school.

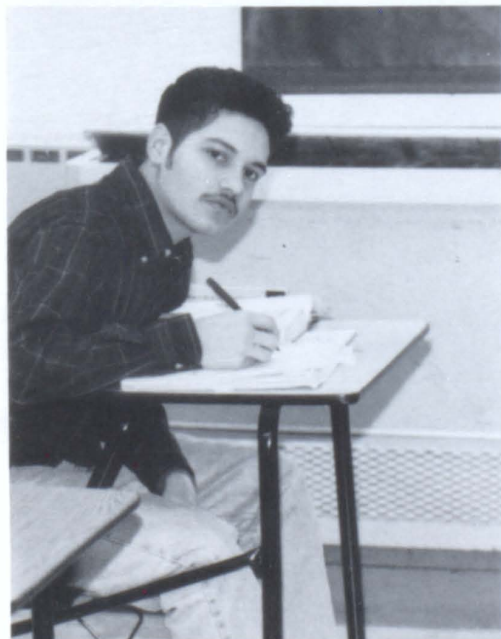
To your dismay you find out that he was vacationing in the same spot you would be. And he would be there to haunt you until he got what was coming to him! (Poof!)

The famous phrase muttered by many high school dwellers was: "I can't wait 'till I get out of school!" But 90% of those who made this remark didn't know diddly about the direction they were going once their behinds were out in the cold street. I'm sure we can remember when our head was caught in the waste basket saying "I gotta get out of here!" You just had to be free of the shackles that bound you to teachers, books and study.

Do me a favor, take a few moments to think about your future plans. Write them somewhere on a page in this yearbook. Five years from now, open this book up and I am willing to bet that you will wish you were back in Barringer again!



Four seniors pose for the camera before they head off to their next class.



One of two students loves to smile . . . Guess why?

Toward the end of the year we find some students still catching up to their work.

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2 Sides 2 Every Story

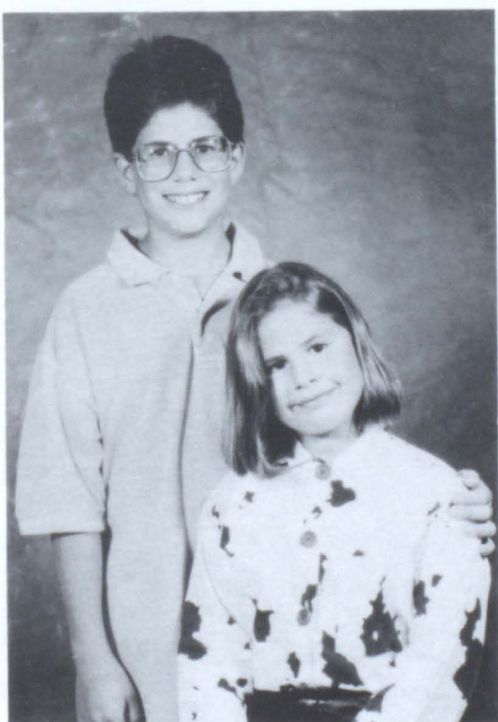
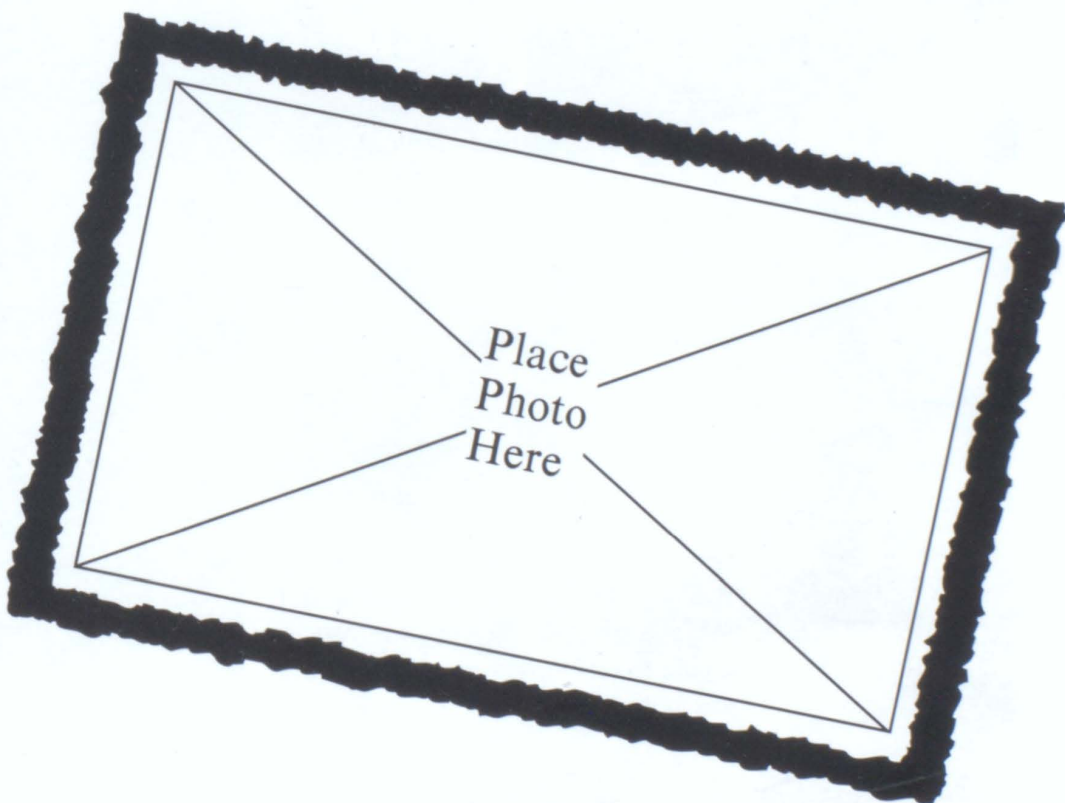
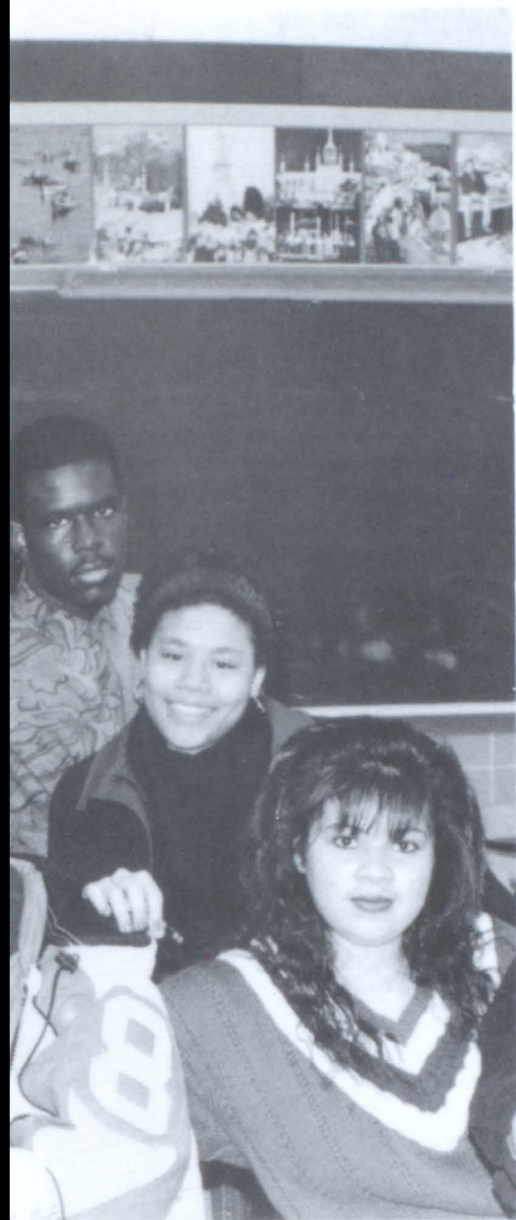
Everyone at one time or another has passed on a rumor about an incident that happened at school. But once the story has gone from multiple mouths and ears, it gets twisted around until it finally loses its actual meaning.

Maybe you don't get up at 7 o'clock in the morning for school . . . maybe you didn't even have a locker to slam . . . or maybe your graduation wasn't in the least emotionally overwhelming. Who would know better than you?

Because some of you may not be happy with the completed 1992 Athenaeum that you hold in your hands, or perhaps there was a picture you really wanted to place in the yearbook, or maybe we didn't say something you wanted to hear, these two pages are to be considered a gift and a chance to "do what you wanna do." We've covered one side of student life, now it's your turn to cover the other.



I Remember When . . .



Carlos Torres

"When I was 15 years old, I thought I met Miss Right. Although she was 3 years older, I became attached to her. Two months later, I found myself heartbroken. And 'till this day I vowed never to be taken as a sucker again."

Felicia Fair

"When I first kissed a guy I was so nervous. I thought to myself as he kissed me, 'Oh God! He stuck his tongue in my mouth.' After that, I began exploring. I became very intimate with a guy who was taken. Later on, he said he wanted to be with his girl and left me."

Lorena Vega

"I really cared about this guy that I thought loved me. We spent a long time together and shared many things together. After a while, he told me he had to go away for several years. I promised I would wait for him and I'm still waiting for my lost love."

Maritza Lopez

"I was hurt when my boyfriend did me wrong with another girl. I was so upset, I threw a tantrum. He was honest with me and didn't deny it. But he pleaded forgiveness and I forgave him. Now we're okay. We're trying to pick up the pieces that were left behind."



Going Through thEmotions

Puppy love, crush, infatuation, and crazed affection . . . All high school students have experienced these emotions at one time or another. Its enemies, hate, rejection, misuse and abuse, are feelings no one likes to experience.

But taking a chance on love means risking your heart being stomped on and broken. Yet, they still risked being emotionally hurt. What made their hearts pump vibrantly for that unexpected mate? Nothing more than the desperate search for the "perfect" person.

On a normal school day, Jane and John decided to make a concerted effort to find that special someone. John's eyes stared desperately across the hall at a hot looking babe with spandex tights and cropped T-shirt. Suddenly, his view was displaced by the sight of a huge monster with a bulky chest embracing the vi-

sion that had transfixed John's eyes . . . Better luck next time John!

Meanwhile, Jane, with books piled to her chin, and eyes glancing in all directions, headed for her 6th period gym class. Rounding one of the corners she smacked head on into the captain of the football team. As he bent down to help her with her books, smiles were exchanged. "Hey kid, you would have been a great tackle for me!" bellowed the 200 pounds of solid muscle as he pushed past her . . . Low blow Jane. Total personality buster!

And so the day ended, and their pursuit seemed hopeless! But one incident of rejection did not defeat their willingness to continue the quest. From a distance you could almost hear a harmonious murmur, "I can't wait to get back to school tomorrow!"







Inn

the Old Country

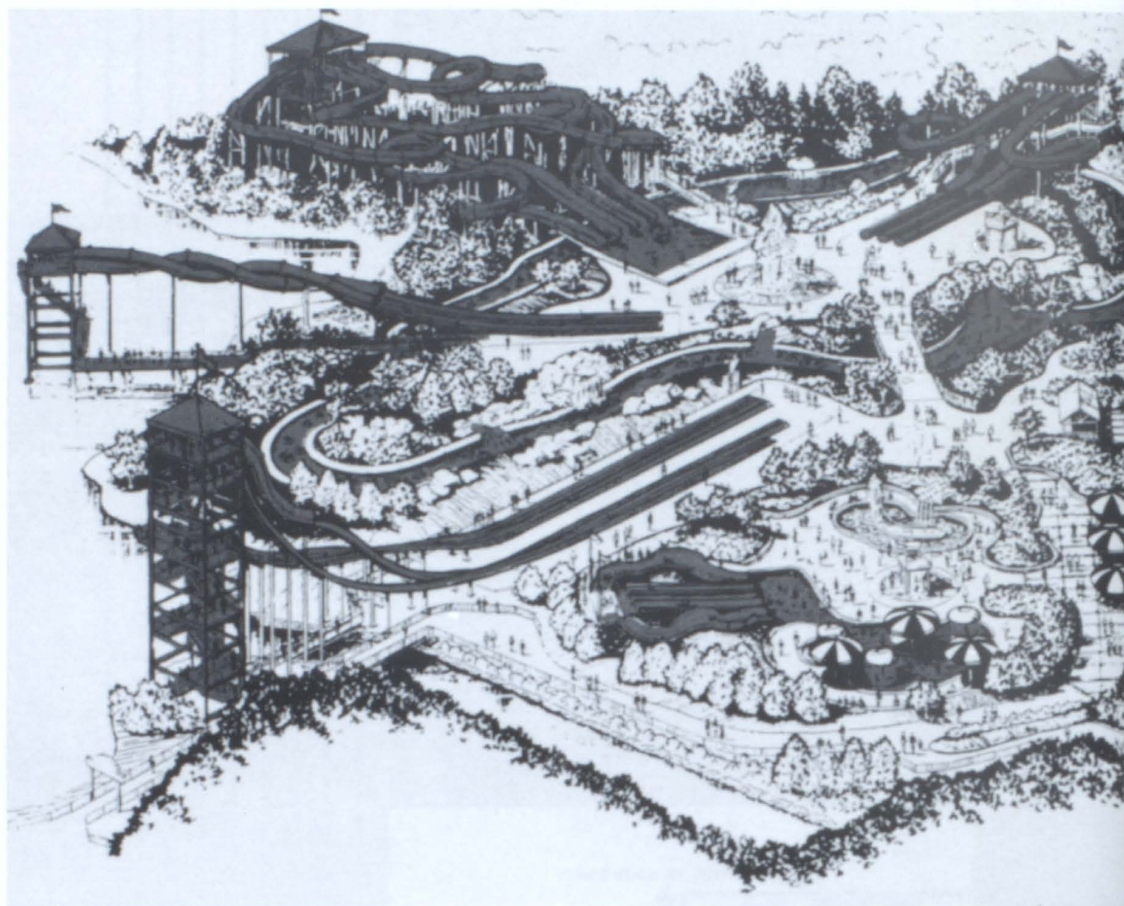
"I RODE THE LOCH NESS MONSTER AND SURVIVED!" screamed the t-shirt worn by the few adventurous seniors as they emerged from their first visit to Busch Gardens. This was one of the key events of the annual Barringer senior class excursion to Virginia.

Surrounded by lush crepe myrtle and shade trees, the Virginia Inn offered a warm and inviting atmosphere for those Blue Bears who needed a hiatus from the rigorous hiking. Just minutes from the Virginia Inn, seniors found themselves going back in time as they toured the historic triangle of Williamsburg, Jamestown, and Yorktown.

But, the highlight of the trip was a short distance from the Inn, and that was the fun and excitement of Busch Gardens and Water Country U.S.A. For 3 days and two nights Barringer seniors luxuriated in this foreign environment.

At Busch Gardens, The Old Country, a setting which simulated a european vacation, awaited these young and restless teenagers. They traveled through nine charming, authentically recreated villages to sample each of the nations represented.

Busch Gardens also offered over 30 breathtaking rides; a sampling of Europe's culinary delights; the opportunity to stroll quaint old-world shops, and enjoy a wide variety of live entertainment. Excitement for everyone was available at Busch Gardens, in historic Williamsburg, Virginia.



Kings Dominion

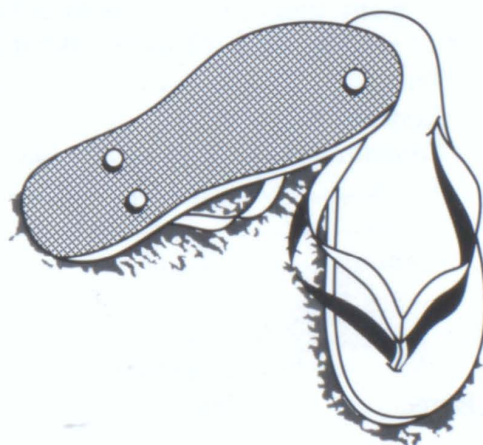
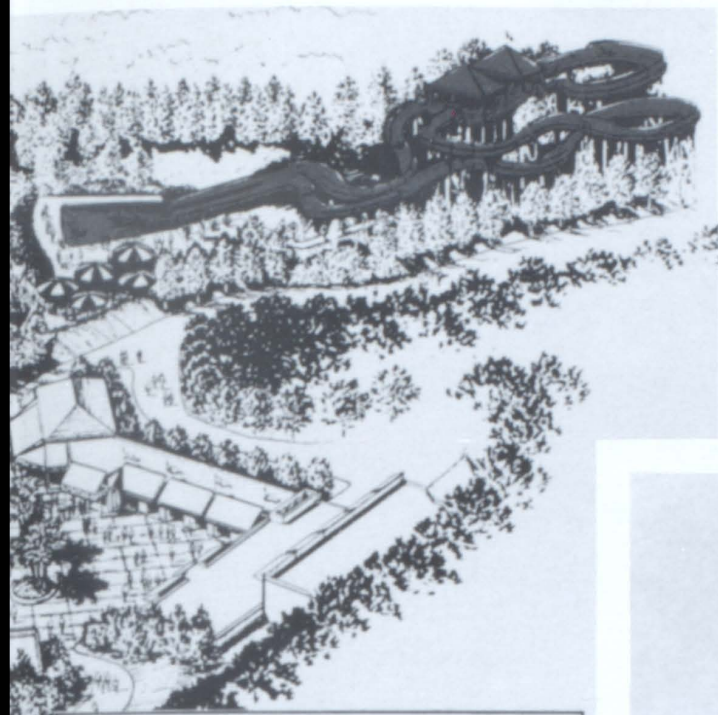
Everyone grabbed their swimsuits and trunks for a wet 'n wild time at Kings Dominion, as the park unveiled its first new themed area since 1975, Kings Dominion's new water park.

Featuring six major water attractions, the water park included enclosed tube slides, rafting rides and numerous speed slides that twist, turn, and dip.

The \$4.5 million park addition offered 6 acres of wet fun for all seniors to enjoy. Kings Dominion's water park included 15 slides of every size and configuration. There was also a refreshing quarter-mile long river raft that meanders along-side waterfalls and through geysers.

Students enjoyed an amazing array of water slides as they rocketed down speed slides with 55-foot drops, whipped through body slides, sot over triple-drops or tackled pretzel-like tube slides that twist around each other for a 250-foot long downhill drop. Granddaddy of the water slides was a 70-foot drop speed slide that was every bit as thrilling as riding a big rollercoaster. "It was an adventure I'll never forget. The parties (Shh! Martinez doesn't know!), in the hotel rooms . . . the practical jokes we played . . . the pool party . . . It was a splash with the senior class!" roared a student as he came home from the three day trip.





A Citizen in a class of Senior^s

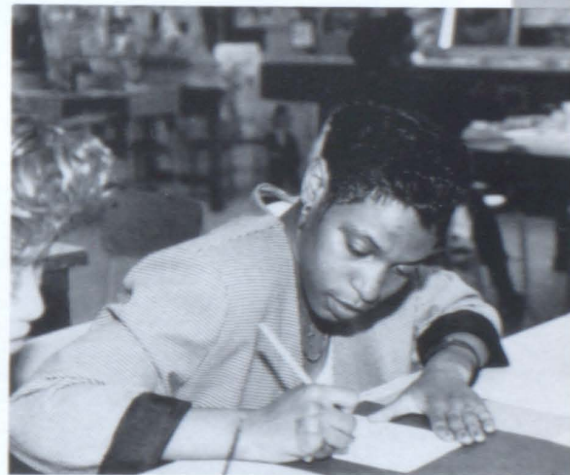
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What time did your longest relationship with a mate last?.....
What is your definition of love?.....
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Is it possible to love two people at the same time?.....
How many times have you been in love?.....
After reading these 32 pages, What is your definition of the following:
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... May you have everything you deserve and accomplish your highest goal!
Remember, **The Class of '92 Makes Dreams Come True!**



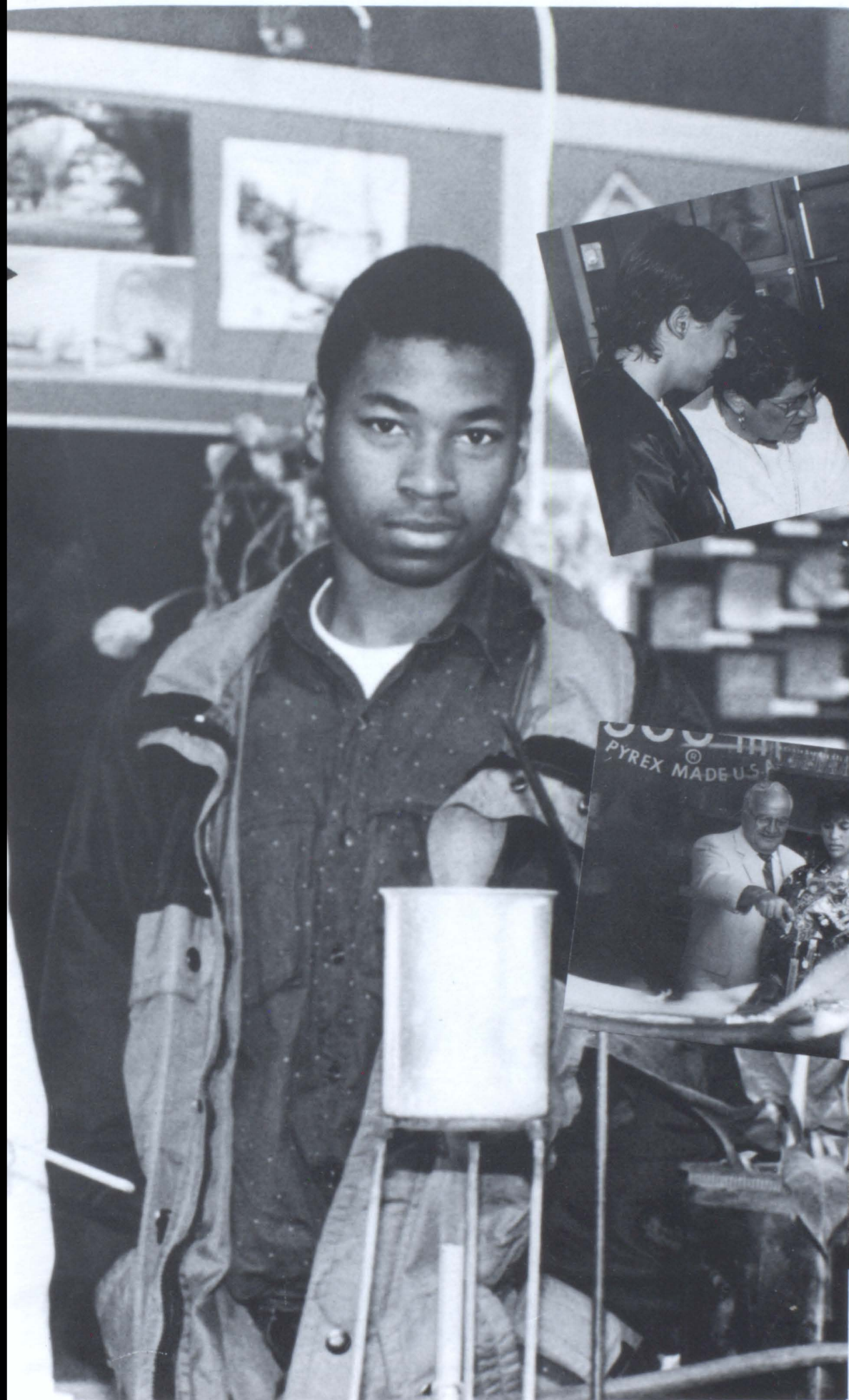
Students pose for a group shot before going their separate ways.

A senior writes her essay for college before the big deadline.



Faculty





Congratulations

... to the graduating class of Barringer High School 1992.

Each year more and more is expected of students graduating from high school. Not only must you complete minimal levels of proficiency in the state mandated tests, but students are also expected to immediately function in an increasingly high tech computerized environment.

Always expect more of yourself than anyone else. Creating high standards allows you to perform at peak efficiency.

Preparation is the key to success. "Luck people" are always able to seize the moment and the opportunity: "Unlucky people" always bemoan how they lost, or how they are being treated unfairly. Become a lucky person.

Best wishes in life and work, make every moment a productive event.

Benjamin O'Neal
Principal



Ezequiel Garcia
Shirley Harris



Back to School

The summer's wind produced a warm autumn hue as the clouds were drawn away by the sun's glaring rays. Flowers ceased to grow while leaves began to flutter vibrantly. The most awaited season for teens was at its end. As for students in the High, "Back to School" saleathons at downtown Newark brought harsh memories of books, papers, pens, pencils, homework and especially obeying school rules!

It wasn't easy for most seniors, who'd put out through two long years of familiar faces, to adjust to changes in staff policies and administration. But these Bears did their best to spread the spirit of the blue and white, thereby creating an amiable atmosphere to greet fresh faces.

Among the major changes, Principal Benjamin O'Neil, who was transferred from West Side High School, took his new position at the helm. His stated goal as Barringer's leader, was "to establish an environment where teachers want to teach, and students want to learn."

Hailing from McKinley, where he was vice principal for 11 years came Ezequiel Garcia. His intention in his new position was to enhance parental involvement, and stimulate a reduction of drop-outs.

A former biology teacher and guidance counselor at Barringer, Shirley Harris returned to the Big Blue as a vice principal. Rounding out the administrative team are Vice Principals Joseph Iannuzzi and Victoria Manfro.

In unision, the current administrative leaders were engaged in making changes to improve the educational climate at Barringer. But they couldn't do it alone. Supported by the faculty, and the senior class, the principal and vice principals made it more enjoyable and safe for everyone to become educated. With the approval of Principal O'Neil, fund raisers such as bake sales were held by various clubs, and activities, to allow students to go on excursions such as a stroll through Chinatown New York. Quiet hallways and diminished fire alarms were a major improvement at Barringer. They gave students more time to learn and achieve their goals.

So the winter came and went, and soon spring sprung its plump flowery bulbs out of their resting places to grow into beautiful foilage. The fragrance of fresh scented air finally returned and the nightmare of homework and following school regulations was now over . . . until the first day of college!

"Dream, but always remember -in dreams begin responsibility."

-J. Iannuzzi



Joseph Iannuzzi
Victoria Manfro

Chairpeople . . . keep things in perspective

Science

Louis Dultz

Guidance

Mildred Ferraro

Math

Vincent Guarino



Social Studies

Louis Maralakos

English

Clara Roth

Athletics Director

Ralph Salzano



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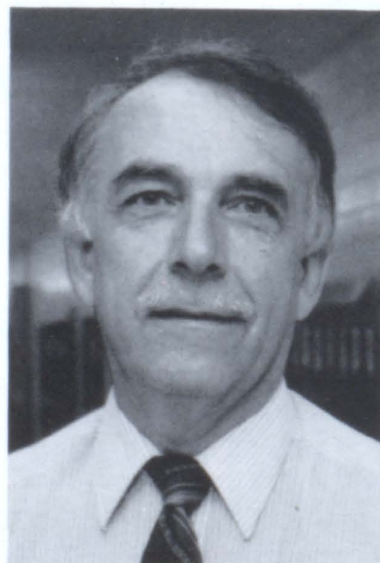
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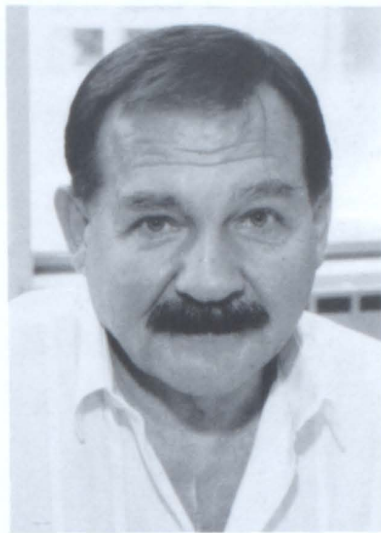
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Frank Verducci



Counselors . . . guide students to the light



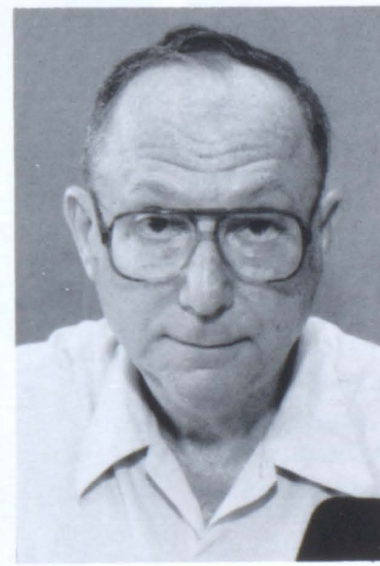
"We hope we guided you to make the proper decision for a happy and productive future. Best wishes in your endeavors."

-M. Ferraro

Frank Antonnaci
John Cascella



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Marta Martinez



Marva Mason
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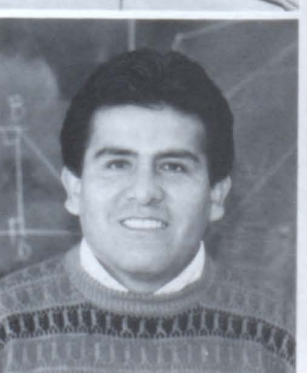
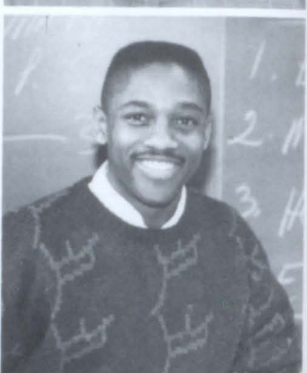
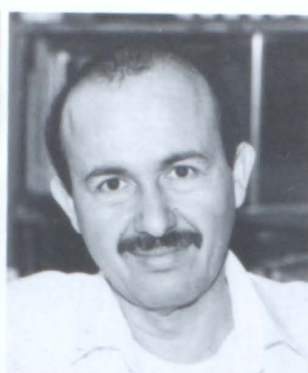


"Fear is the darkroom where negatives are developed."

-M. Mason

"Congratulations Class of 1992. You should be very proud of your accomplishments. With a positive attitude, perseverance and determination, you will be able to meet any obstacle you face in the future. You are all winners!!"

-L. Brice



"It was when the trees were leafless first in November and their blackness became apparent, that one first knew the eccentric to be the base of design . . . May your memories of B.H.S. include the beauty of neighboring Branch Brook Park; may you achieve success along with joy and peace!"

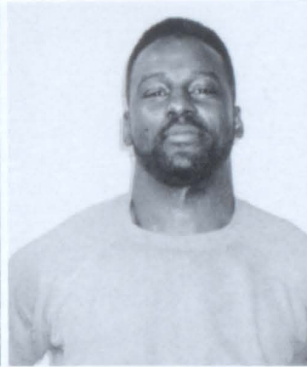
-F. Pignatelli



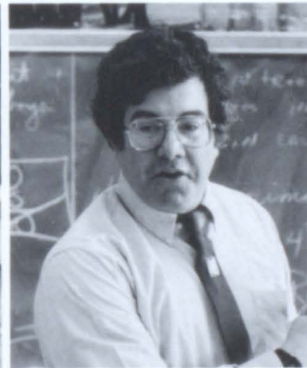
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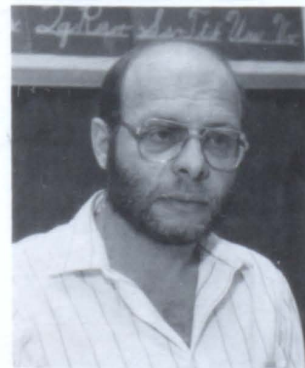
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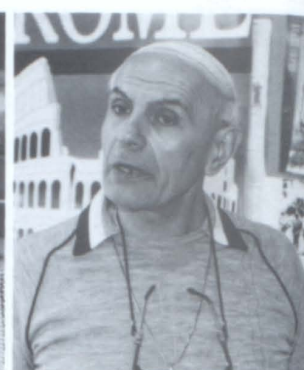
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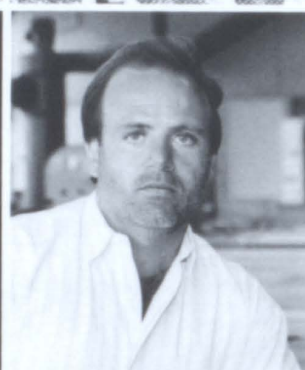
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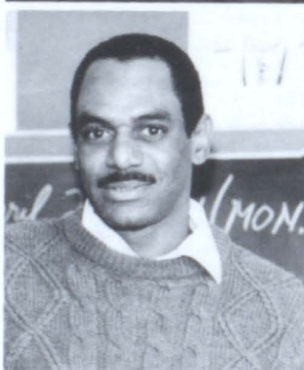
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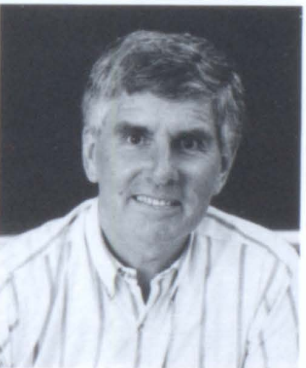
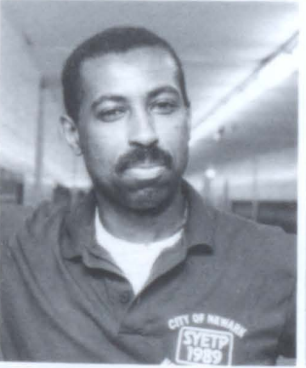
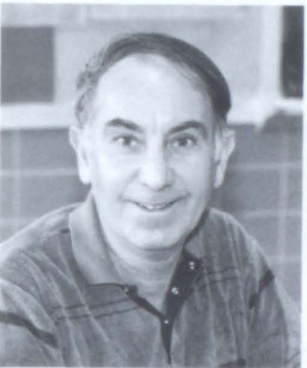
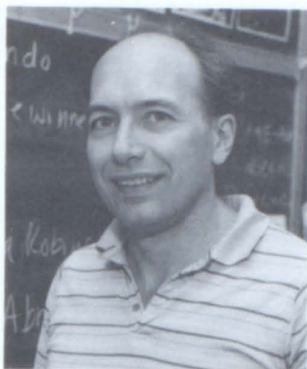
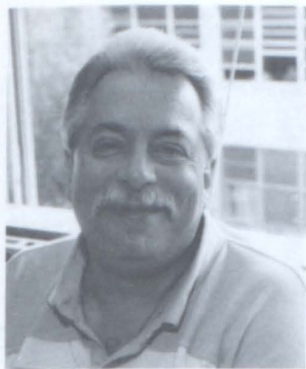


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"Congratulations and best wishes to the graduating class of 1992. You have grown in many ways; mastered the tool subjects which will enable you to pursue a career which will make you contributing members of our complex society. Whatever you choose as your goal in life -work diligently towards that end and success will be sure to follow. Once again, best wishes for a healthy, happy, and productive future."

-M. Fascia



"Believe in yourself and all else shall follow."

-M. Ceceri



"In order to reap a harvest of wisdom you must plant and cultivate wholesome thoughts in the garden of your mind."

-W. Slappy

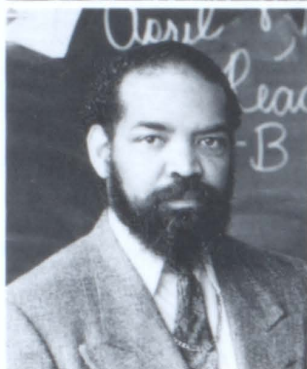
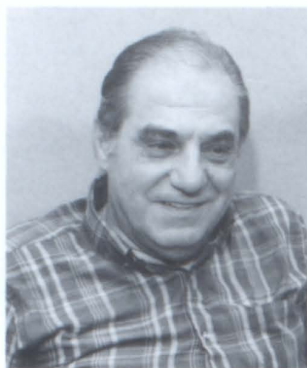
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"Music is a wonderful way for students to learn self expression and develop their self-esteem. Students learn how to work with others and develop a working relationship with their compatriots. These memories and friendships can last a lifetime and are well worth the sweat and hard labor it takes to accomplish those goals . . . Reach for the gold ring and you could very well attain those goals."

-D. O'Shea

"Bon Voyage- May you reach the destination of your dreams."

-D. Friess



"The blue and white baton is now passed on to you. It is your responsibility to carry on the spirit and traditions of The Big Blue. And when you have your class reunions, let those reflections on your alma mater be positive, because your memories will contribute to the future reputation of Barringer High School."

-S. Di Gerlando

"The study of physics and its applications is vital to all students whatever their educational goals are. However, having a good background in mathematics will make this accomplishment easier."

-N. Said



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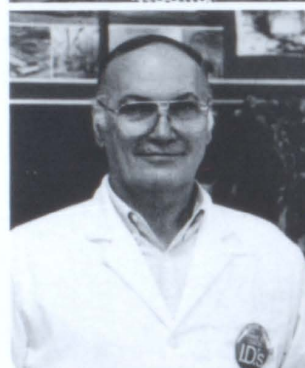
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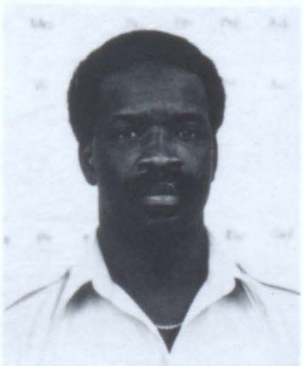
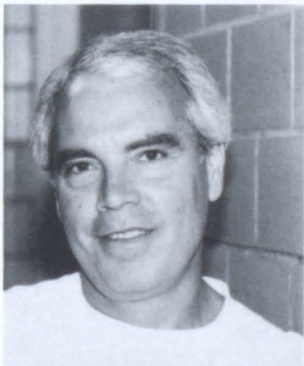
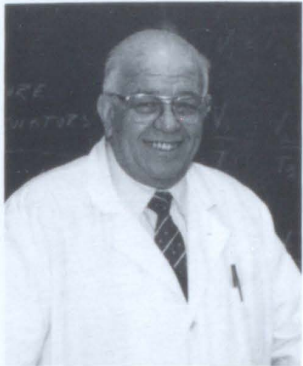
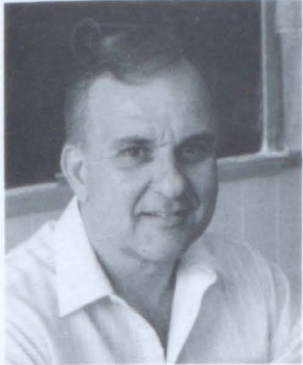


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 Deborah Smith English
 Harry Snyder PE/Health
 Frank Tansey Ind. Arts



Alfred Wagner English
 Patrick Washam Soc. Studies
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 Neil Williamson Science
 Regina Wright PE/Health
 Thomas Ziolkowski C.I.E.





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Seniors





Seniority



Silenni Abreu
Ruth Acevedo
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Jacinto Alayon
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Israel Aquino



Elvin Arocho
Antonia Arroyo
Ana Asto

Elsie, an intelligent and independent student, aspires to become a chemist after attending Maryland University. Her most memorable school experience occurred while she attended Barringer Prep. On Thanksgiving day, Elsie and her schoolmates collected money and food for the homeless.

Lorena believes that the challenges of life are what motivate her. Looking ahead to a successful future encourages her to achieve. A concerned listener, Lorena is always available to give advice and guidance to her friends. She plans to attend Seton Hall University, with the goal of becoming a nurse.



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#2 Lorena Vega

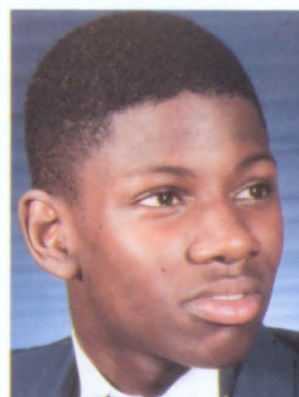
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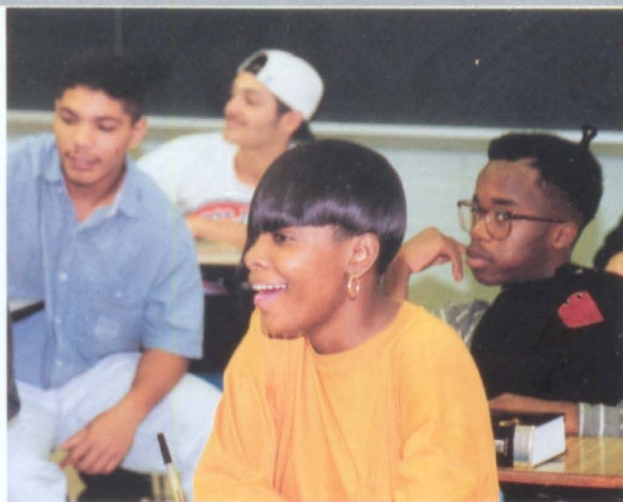
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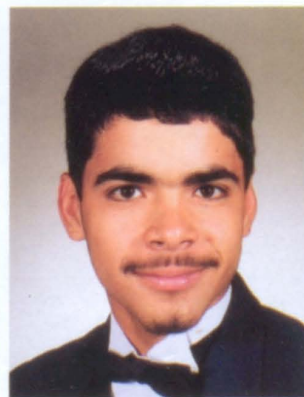
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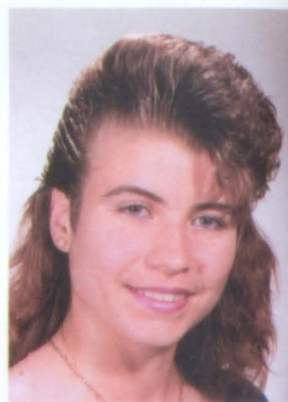
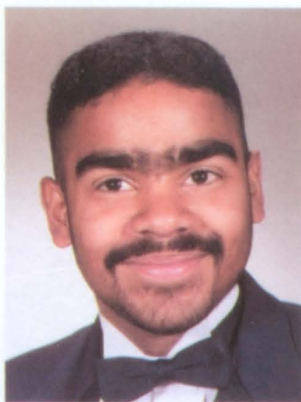
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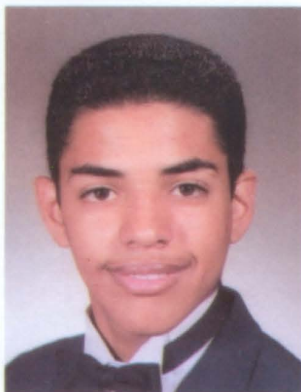
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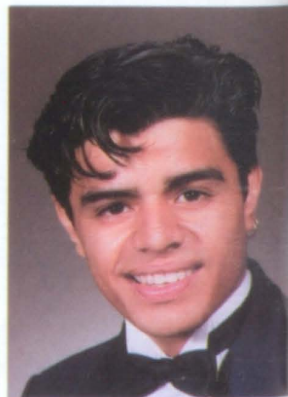
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Sonia Cordero
Jaime Crespo
Tomika Crook
Vernon Crook



Adelina Cruz
Ben Cruz
Islanda Cruz
Wilmer Cuba





#3 Laureen Phipps

#4 Deborah Surajballi

You may open the Star Ledger some day and see Laureen's name on the editorial page, or perhaps catch her title on the credits of a TV show. Sensitive, responsible and tenacious, these are just a few of her attributes. Laureen plans on attending Seton Hall University to major in Communications.

Deborah sees herself in her own office — at home — eight years from now. Her virtues are friendliness and honesty. Deborah intends to pursue a career in the field of Business and attend Berkely College.



Sharon Culver
Margie Cummings
Shalonda Curry
Elvira Cuzcano

Benjamin DaSilva
Matthew Daughety
Anthony Davis
David Davis

Kenneth Davis
Lawrence Davis
Rasheta Davis
Cooky Debro

Maritza loves children, in fact, she plans to attend Seton Hall University and obtain a degree in education. Maritza sees herself as a teacher in a grammar school someday, but we think she could be the principal.

Tia's best trait is just being herself. Her dream is to attend Montclair State, with the end result of becoming a partner in an accounting firm. Graduating in the top of her class, Tia feels this is a great accomplishment.

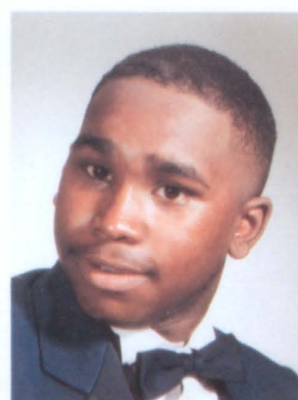


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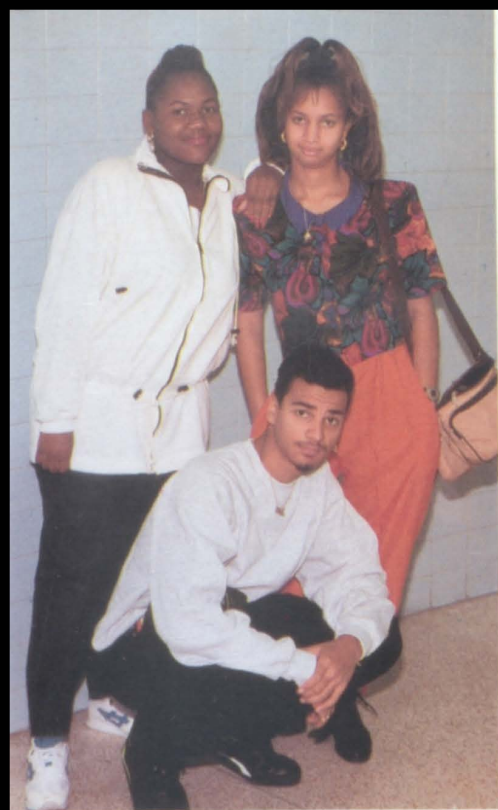


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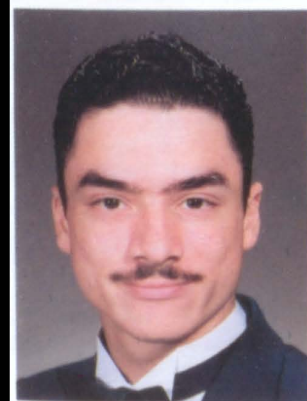




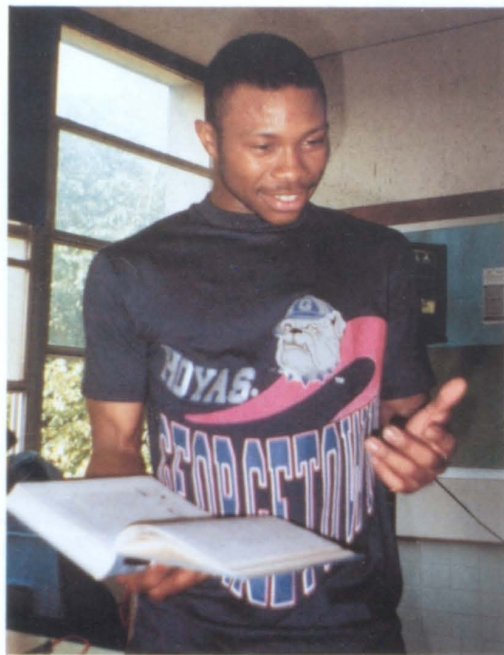
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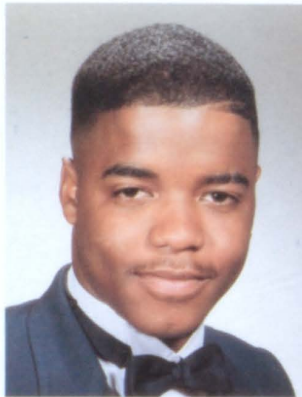
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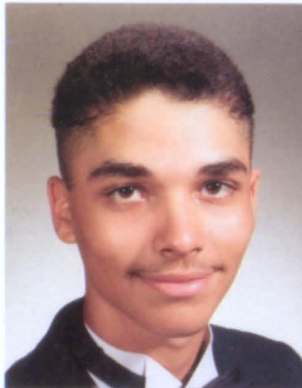
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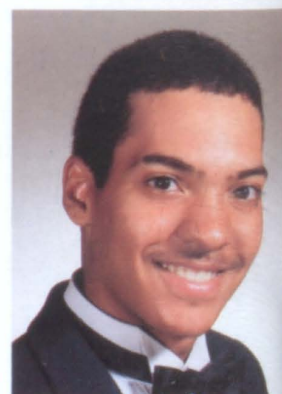
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Sandra Gonzalez
Johanna Gorgas



Tawana Green
Elton Griffith
Shaikil Grisham
Roger Guerrero





#7 Vanessa Solomon #8 Shaikil Grisham

Vanessa considers herself to be sociable. She displays a definite flair for writing poetry. Vanessa attributes her talent through the inspiration and guidance of Mr. Paul Miller, her English teacher. She plans to continue her education at Rutgers University and major in Psychology.

Shaikil's son has a great impact on her motivation. She believes she has a responsibility to provide the best for his future, as well as her own. Her interest in children caused her to select a career in teaching. She plans to attend Montclair State College.



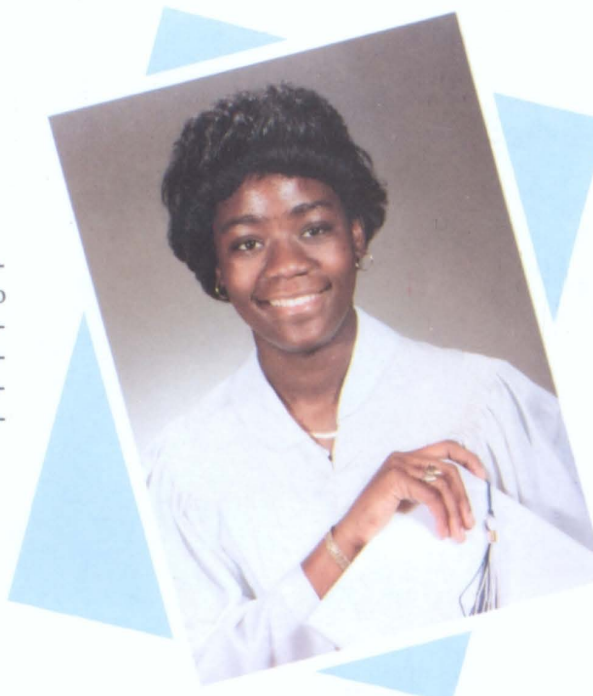
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Wanda Guzman
Liang Hao

Leah Haskins
Quamane Hawkins
Regina Hemingway
Dayshone Henderson

Taj Herbert
Rolando Hernandez
Teenella Heywardbey
Gregory Hiraldo

Christie is a firm believer in self motivation. She believes each person controls their own destiny. Her goal is to receive a masters degree from Medical school and have a job in one of the best hospitals in the country.

Opportunity inspires Sandra to succeed. She loves to draw and plans to major in Fine Arts at Rutgers University. Sandra believes that her experiences in life have made her realize the importance of a strong family bond.



#9 Christie Williams



#10 Sandra Lopez

Abegail Hlongwo
Tasha Holmes
Fuquan Hurt
Marilyn Irizarry

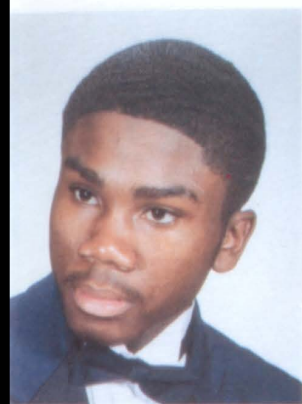
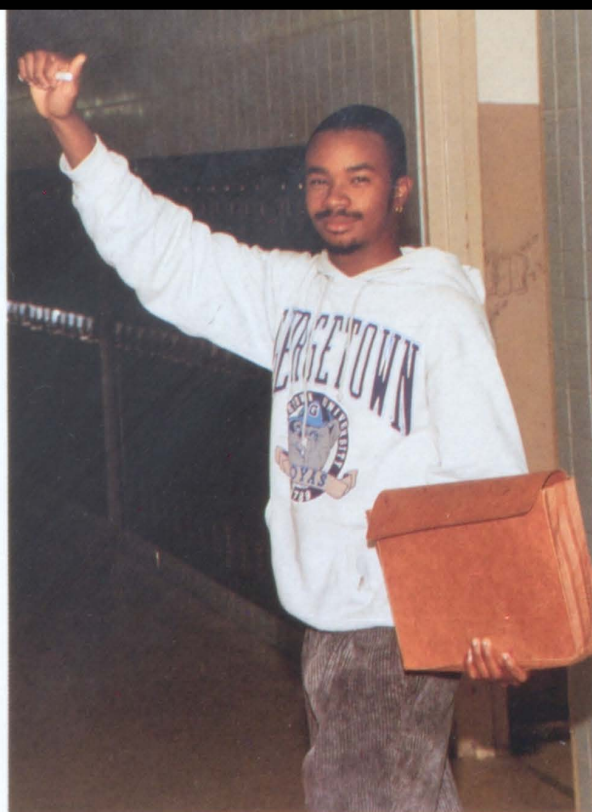


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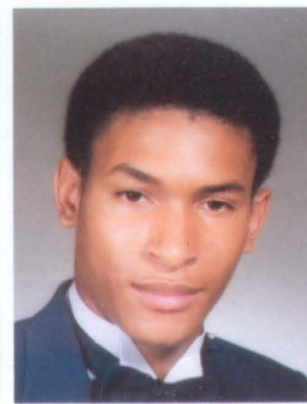
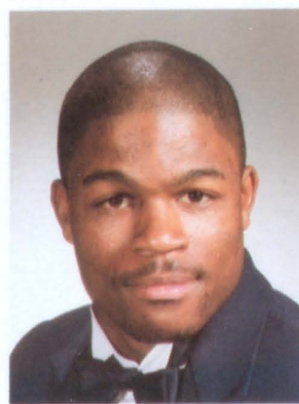
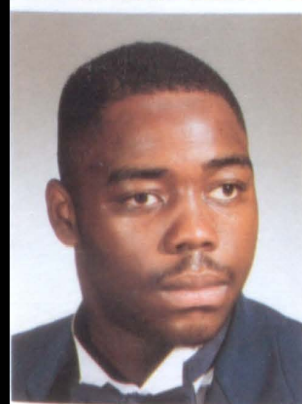




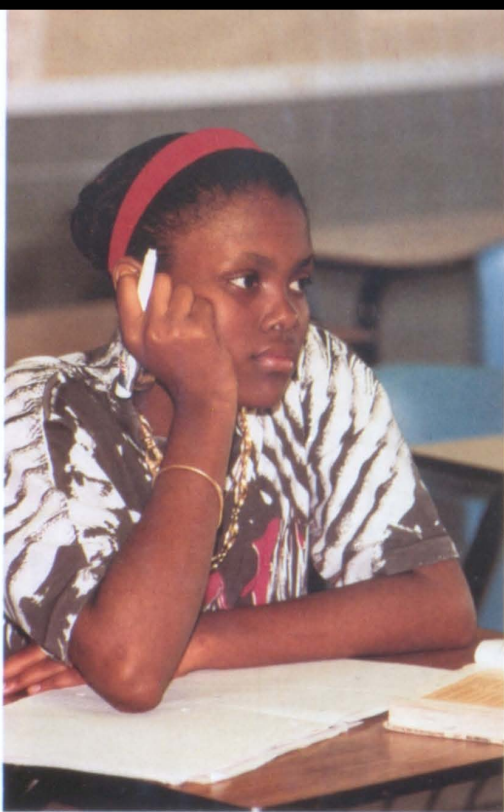
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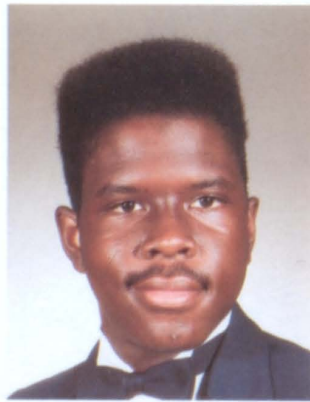
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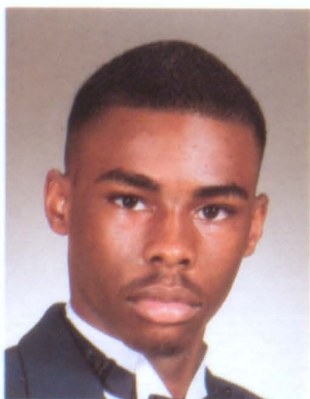
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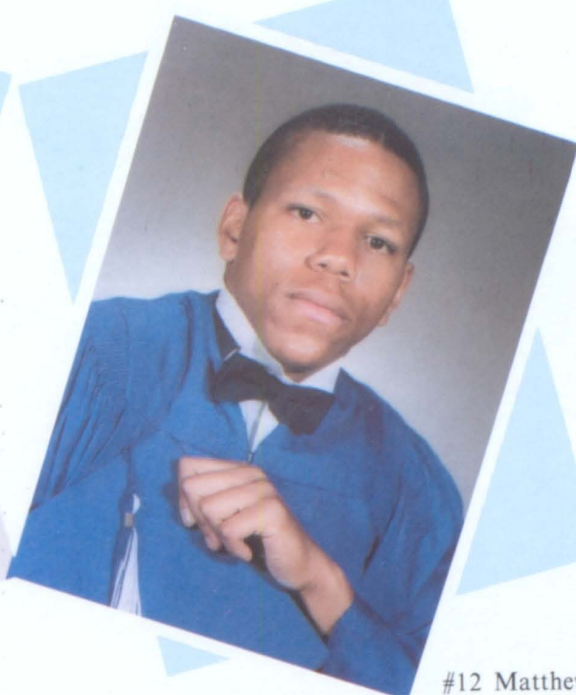


His friends know Matthew as one who likes to help other people. In fact, he has plans to major in Nursing at Rutgers University.

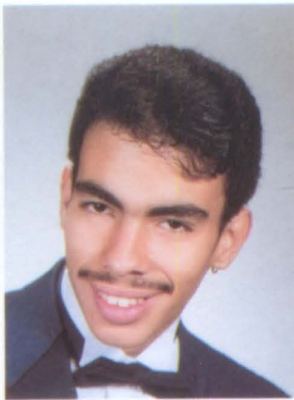
Planning to major in International Business at Georgian Court College, Tamika hopes to be President of her own corporation in New York. She believes she is demanding and outgoing but people view her as shy and reserved. Tamika plans to make a loud statement when she graduates from college to stamp out poverty in the world.



#13 Tamika Crook



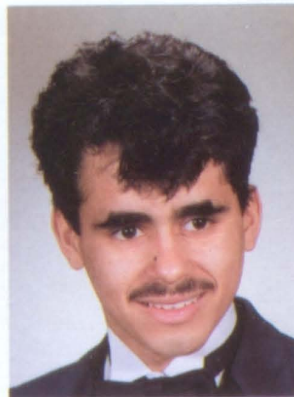
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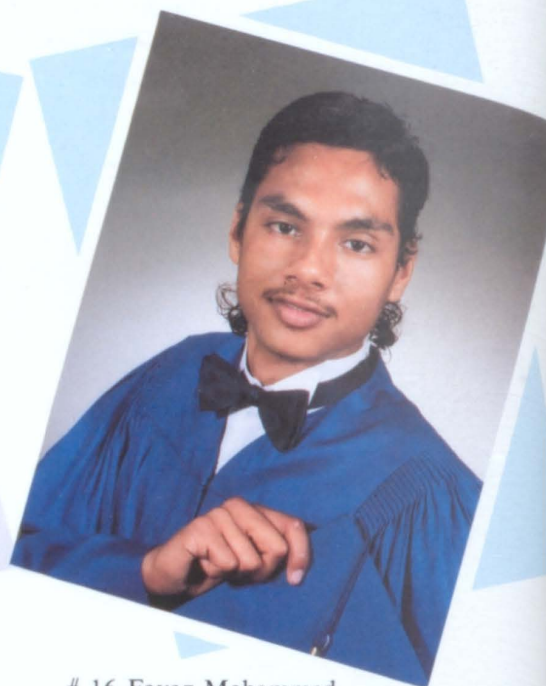
Luz Martinez
Yesenia Martinez
Nestor Matthews
Angela McLean

Sherry admits that her environment can sometimes make her hostile, but we know her as a warm and kindhearted individual. Motivated by competition, she hopes to attend Virginia State University and follow up with a successful career in Business Management.

The year 2000 should open with Fayaz in the key position employed by a major Architectural Firm. Although he is seen by his peers not to be a serious person, those who really know him realize his sober quest for knowledge. In fact, the challenge of competition by his class is what motivates Fayaz.



#15 Sherry Cooper

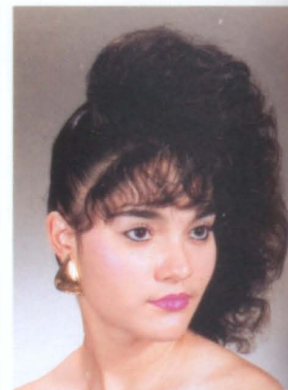


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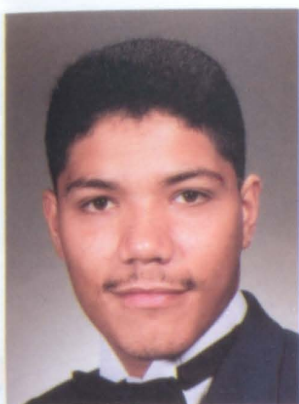


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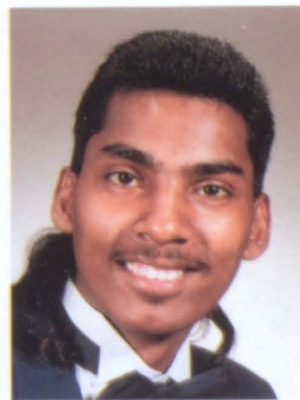




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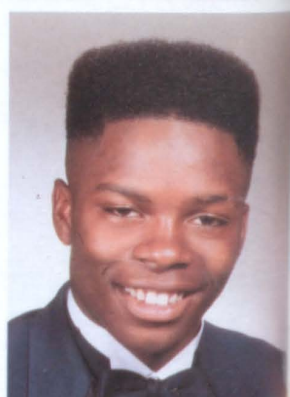
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Madelyne Osorio
Michael Owens





#17 Laida Sisco

#18 Jacinto Alayon

Laida feels that the decision to be a teacher was inspired by a Graffiti poster contest she won at Barringer. "Illiteracy", she believes is a problem that she would like to help eradicate. Laida plans to attend Seton Hall University and pursue a career in Education.

Jacinto, an avid runner, finished among the best sprinters in the country in the 1991 Essex County track & field competition. He is a determined person who sets a goal and always does his best to achieve it. He wants to attend Montclair State College and eventually become a physical education teacher.



Lilian Padilla
Rosa Palacios
Verline Parks
Alma Pascual

Richard Pascual
Sory Pena
Carolyn Perez
Natalie Perez

Jesenia Perez
Juan Perez
Roberto Perez
William Perez

Kia may be doing your tax returns some day if she pursues her dream to be an Accountant. She plans to attend Seton Hall University and someday establish her own company. Kia's experiences in the work force caused her to understand responsibility, and gave her a new perspective.

Daisy might become the first female president of the United States. She is an energetic and ambitious young lady, who plans to major in Law at Seton Hall University.



#19 Kia Taylor



#20 Daisy Velasquez

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Laureen Phipps
Phyllis Pierce
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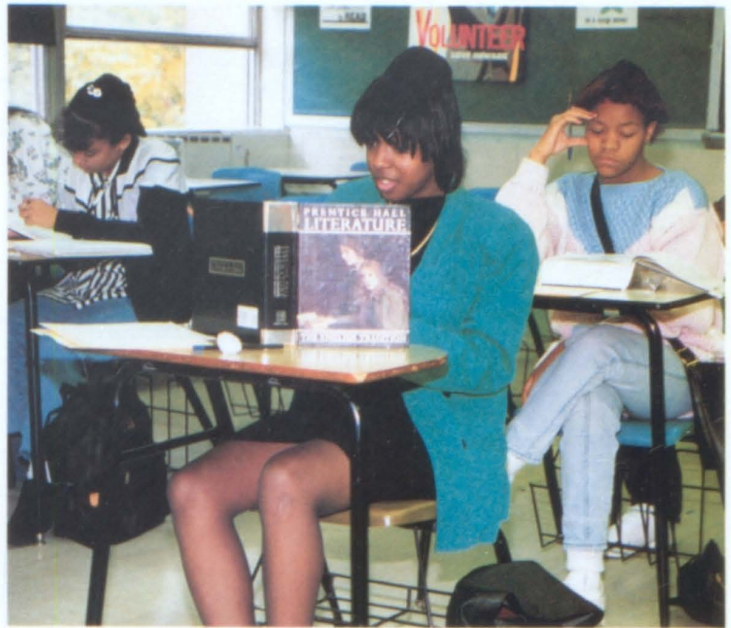


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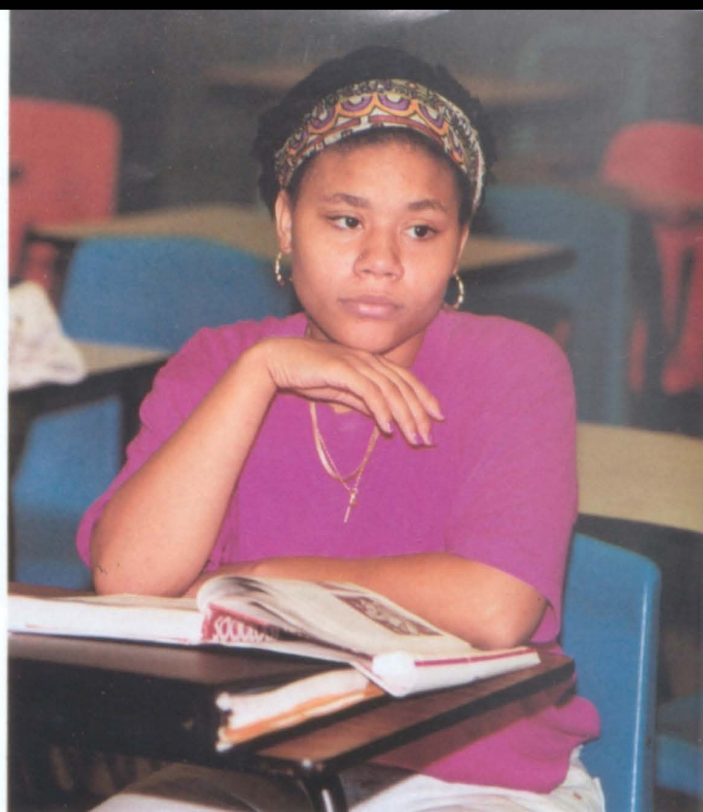
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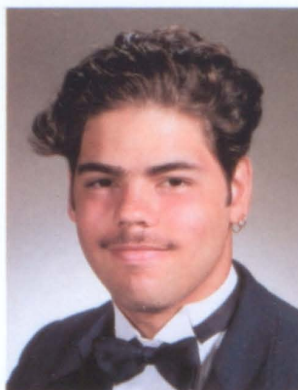
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Adelina Rodriquez
Sheila Rodriquez
Vicente Roman
Elsie Romero



Kenneth believes that his most uplifting moment was when he was awarded Student of the Year by Omega Psi Phi Fraternity. He was honored that he was recognized for hard work and leadership. Kenneth plans to attend Trenton State College and pursue a career in Business Administration.

Taj may be reserved in class but among his friends he's a bolt with energy. An honest and kind-hearted friend, he brings a smile to ones face with his sense of humor. He plans to major in political science at Rutgers University.



#22 Kenneth Jerry

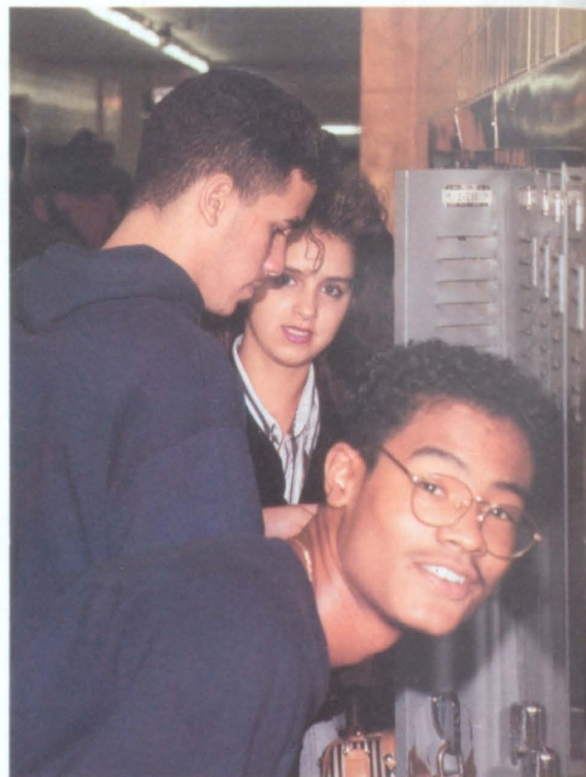
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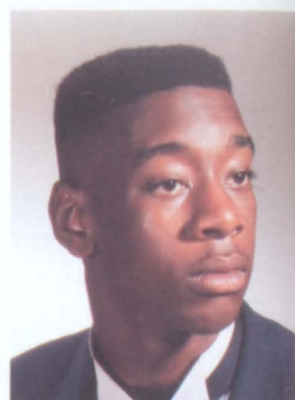
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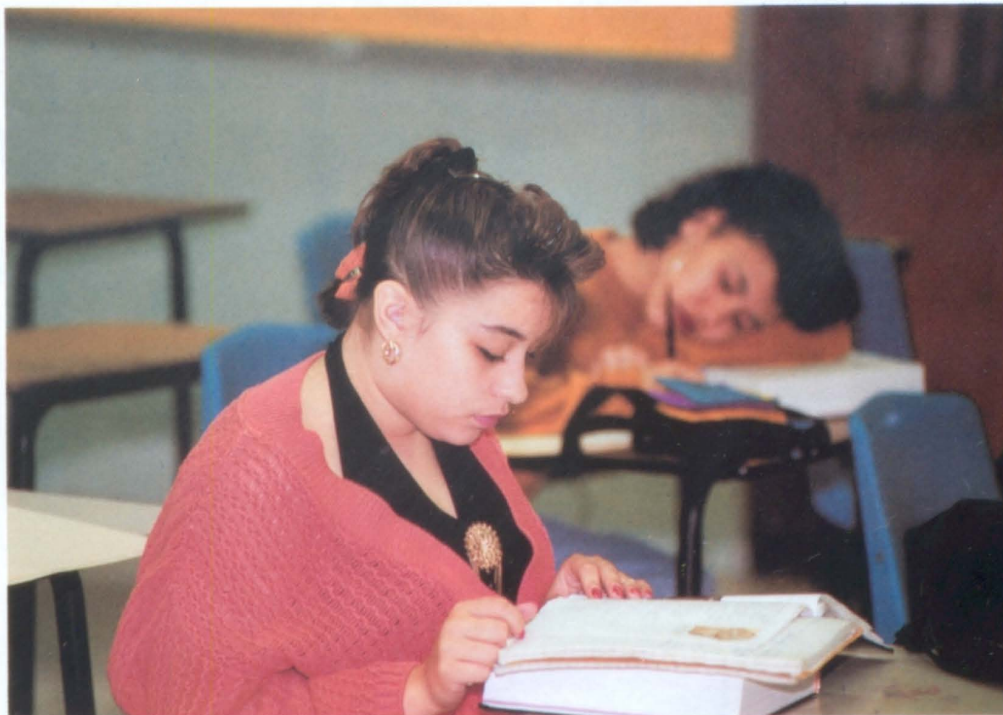
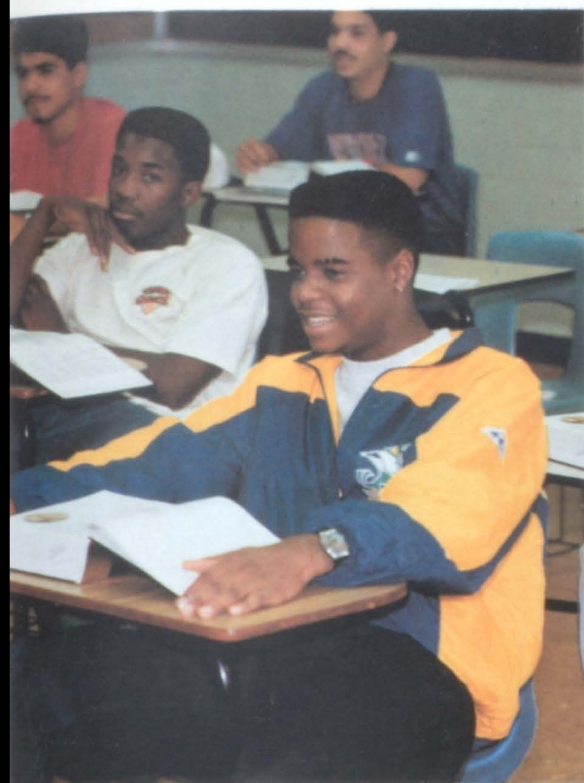


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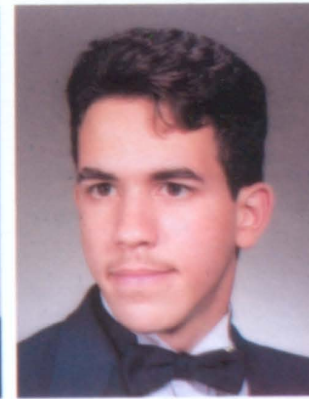




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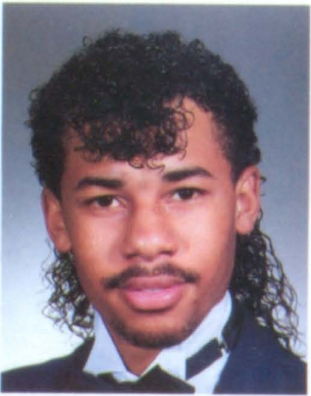


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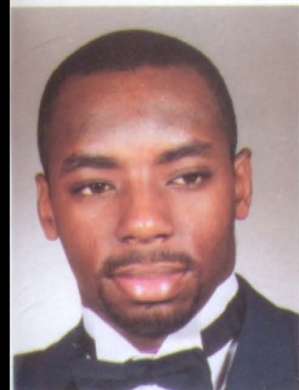
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Carlo Valentin
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Sylvia Vega
Daisy Velasquez
Elizabeth Velez
Marilyn Velez



Wilfredo Velez
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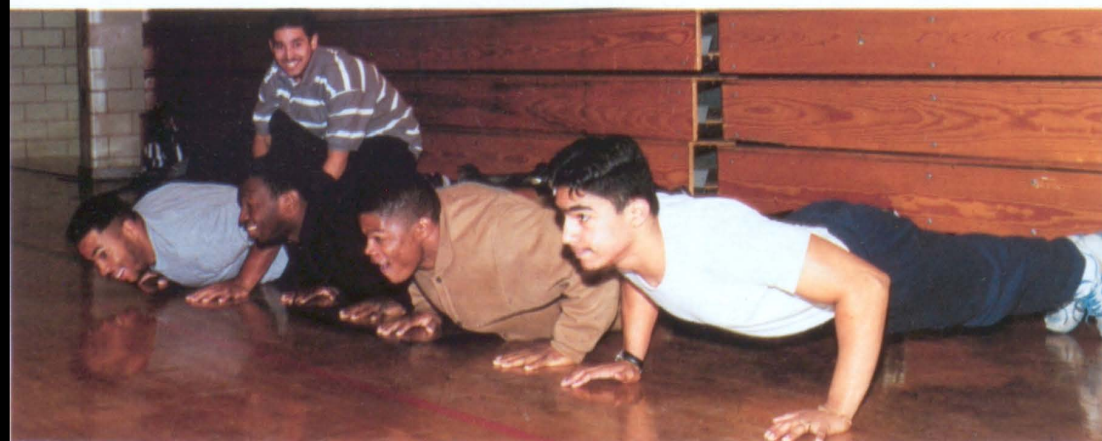
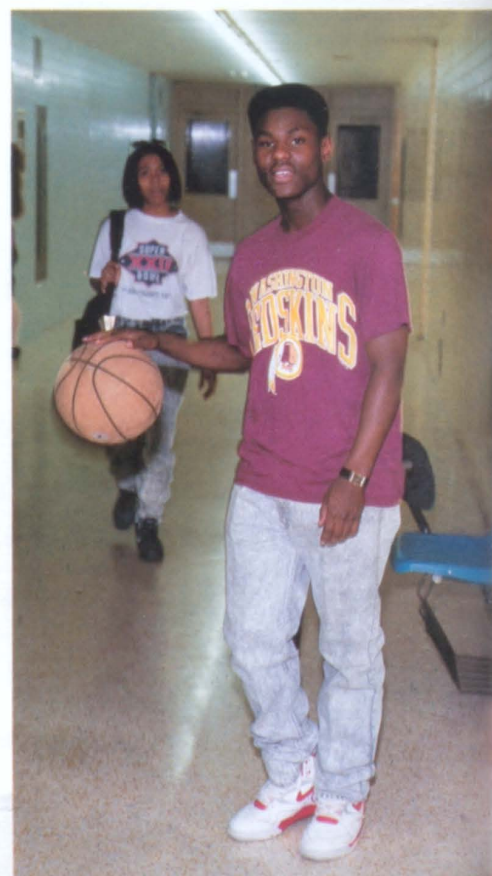


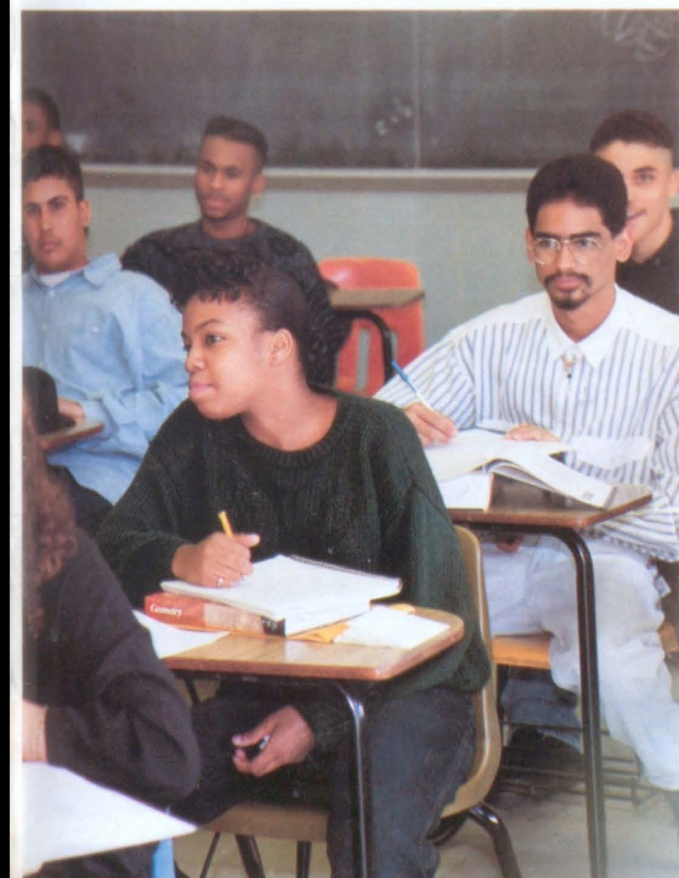
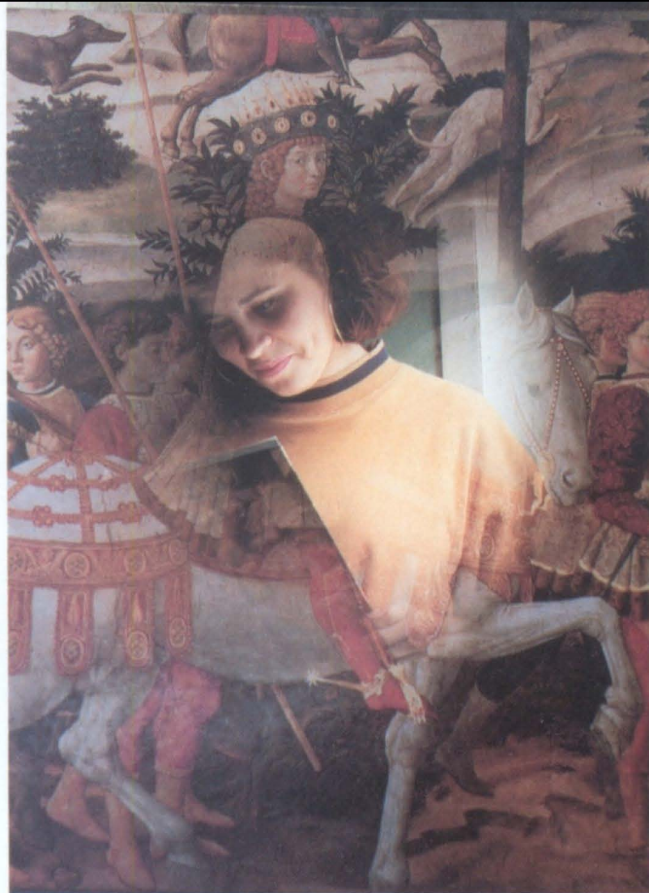
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Berocal Maria
Borges Luis
Borrero Annia
Caban Julio
Cannon Anthony
Carmona Evelyn
Chase Rudo
Cuevas Daniel
Deliz Liced
Diaz Julio
Drinkard Aazim
Evans Christopher
Febles Luis
Feliciano Yesenia
Figueroa Aida
Flores Juan
Flores Pedro
Franco Judy
Gonzalez Adalberto
Gonzalez Diannette
Gonzalez Manuel
Gonzalez Miguel
Gonzalez Oswaldo
Gonzalez Santos
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Hernandez Michelle
Hernandez Monique
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Hooks Mulugeta
Jenkins Sharene
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Johnson Terri
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Jones Ernest
Jones Kim
Jones Musu

Jones Raquel
Jordine Peter
Justice Robert
Kassim Abayomi
Kind Larry
Laracuenta Robert
Lawton Jesse
Leon Jacqueline
Lindsey Kenyah
Lopez Brunilda
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Lugo Ismael
Lumford Keo
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Santos Kevin
Scott Tremon
Sears Lamar
Serrano Michael
Singh Wayne
Smith Gayla
Soto Angelica
Spears Sephonia
Tamba Penkey
Taylor Victor
Thomas Karriema
Torres Allan
Torres Eleutria
Urbina Ernesto
Valentin Daniel
Vasquez Sigfredo
Walker Michelle
Washington Dawud
Woolridge Jocelyn







Pisces — Madelyne Osorio

Zodiac

Aquarius (Jan 20-Feb 18) All things that glitter may not be gold. Many things may seem to be something it's not. Be very careful in picking future companions. Winners are people like you — not afraid to take chances.

Pisces (Feb 19-Mar 20) You're on the road to a successful life. Hopes and dreams are bound to come true. The person you despise will become an associate. Sibling rivals will happen often, but remember blood is thicker than water.

Aries (Mar 21-April 19) Times may get hard, but behind every dark cloud is a silver lining. Take heed to motherly advice, she was here long before you were even thought of. Learn to take criticism.

Taurus (April 20-May 20) A strong will is something to be very proud of. When climbing the ladder of success don't let any one keep you back. Pick up a small gift for that special someone on your way home.

Gemini (May 21-June 21) Someone from your past may enter your life. Look ahead to the future, great things await you. Stop letting things get you down. Dreams that you have, are dreams you should make come true.

Cancer (June 22-July 22) A rainbow is made of many colors, and so is the world. When you meet people with different attitudes, control your temper. Look toward a better future, and learn to live from the past.



Aries — Taj Herbert & Laura Vega



Gemini — Sherry Cooper



Cancer — Margarita Gonzalez



Virgo — Felicia Meeks

Winners

Libra (Sept 23-Oct 23) You're a unique person. You live in your own world. Get back into life. You'll be amazed by what can happen. Your skillful talents work for you. When out at night look for a shooting star. Make a wish, then open your eyes and be prepared for a surprise.

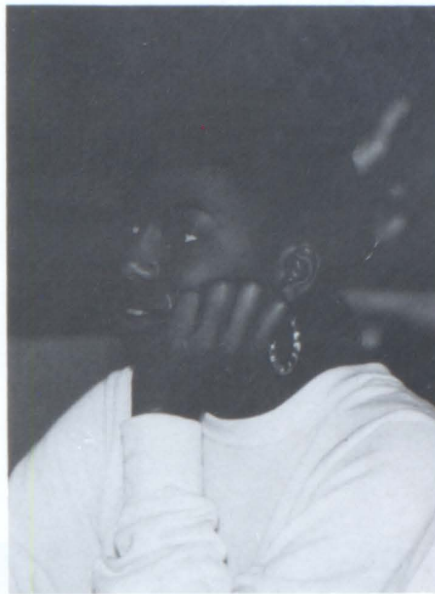
Scorpio (Oct 24-Nov 21) Don't be afraid to ask questions. They are easier to handle than mistakes. Cupid has made bulls eye in your heart. Get in touch with family members that you have lost contact with.

Sagittarius (Nov 22-Dec 21) There is no expedient that some people will resort to avoid the real labor of thinking. Knowledge is the key to success. The future is your opportunity to make changes for the better.

Capricorn (Dec 22-Jan 19) It is better to fail at something great, than to succeed at doing nothing. Ones greatest enemy is himself. Have more faith and be proud of your accomplishments. Pay close attention to the mail.

Leo (July 23-Aug 22) Sometimes it may seem like hard work isn't paying off. Always remember no pain no gain — or where there's a will there's a way. Eventually things will fall into place. Have patience.

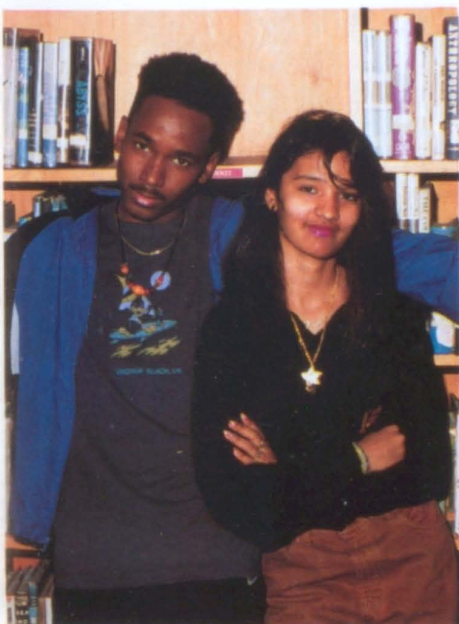
Virgo (Aug 23-Sep 22) You are like a pearl within a shell. You cover up true feelings, and keep to yourself. Allow yourself room to grow. Get to know people. You are beautiful and so is your future.



Aquarius — Tawana Green



Leo — Vanessa Solomon & Kenneth Jerry



Scorpio — Andre Sewell & Pinal Shah



Sagittarius — Myrna Ponce



Capricorn — Maria Garrido

Limousines were just a few of the exclusive styles of the rich and famous.



Lawrence and Terrel seclude themselves from the crowd to talk about their fond memories.

Senior Class Committee advisor, Mr. Wilson Martinez gives a personal goodbye to Cynthia.





Alice in search of her wandering date.

As the theme song illuminated through the dance hall, Doris and her dates' heart pulverized with anticipation for the future.

A Treasured Night

The sun was slowly setting as luxurious cars swiftly made their way through the crowded parking lot at the Chanticleer on the night of June 11, 1992. the long awaited night was finally here . . . the Senior Prom . . . the time of reminiscing about the past, living the present and planning the future.

The last official gathering of the seniors. An event that no one will ever forget. With strenuous work, long hours, and difficult decisions, the Senior Class Committee, made it "the most memorable night in all their high school years".

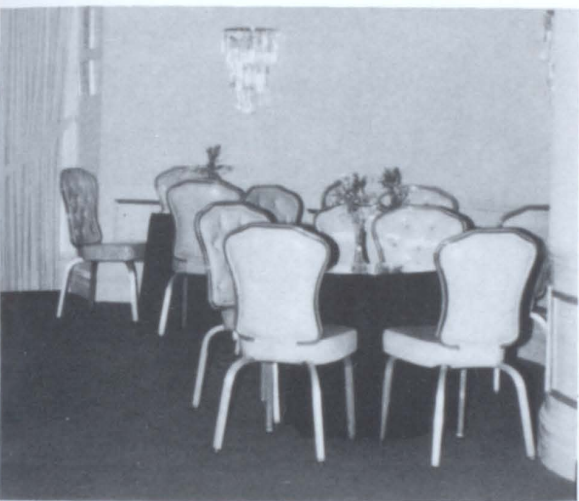
Despite the difficulties and hardships the Seniors faced throughout the year, everyone's thoughts were built together in an effort for peace.

As tears of happiness and sorrow flooded the dance floor, couples stretched their arms out and glided their feet to the tunes of the 90's. The dazzling beauties and their dates sprang to the scene becoming part of a kodak moment to be treasured forever.

Prom - June 11, 1992 Chanticleer - Short Hills

The
Opening
to the
most
memorable
night





"And who says I don't look good?"



"Hey, things could be worse, I could have no teeth."

Taking it easy on the stairway, a student sports his father's tie and jacket.



Totally Bummed Out

If you were wearing wrinkled clothes or just didn't comb your hair on Nov. 26th, 1991, you had nothing to worry about because it was Bum Day at Barringer, and you were in style.

As seniors pranced up and down the hallway, eyes stretched from a distance gazing at the slashed and shabby-looking outfits. Some students wore T-shirts and sweats with

a few holes. This mode of dress may have seemed common to some individuals, but others gave the appearance of someone on the street- asking for change.

Some seniors planned ahead and brought clothes to change into, and out of, thus saving themselves expected humiliation. But one senior who came to school dressed for the occasion confessed that on the

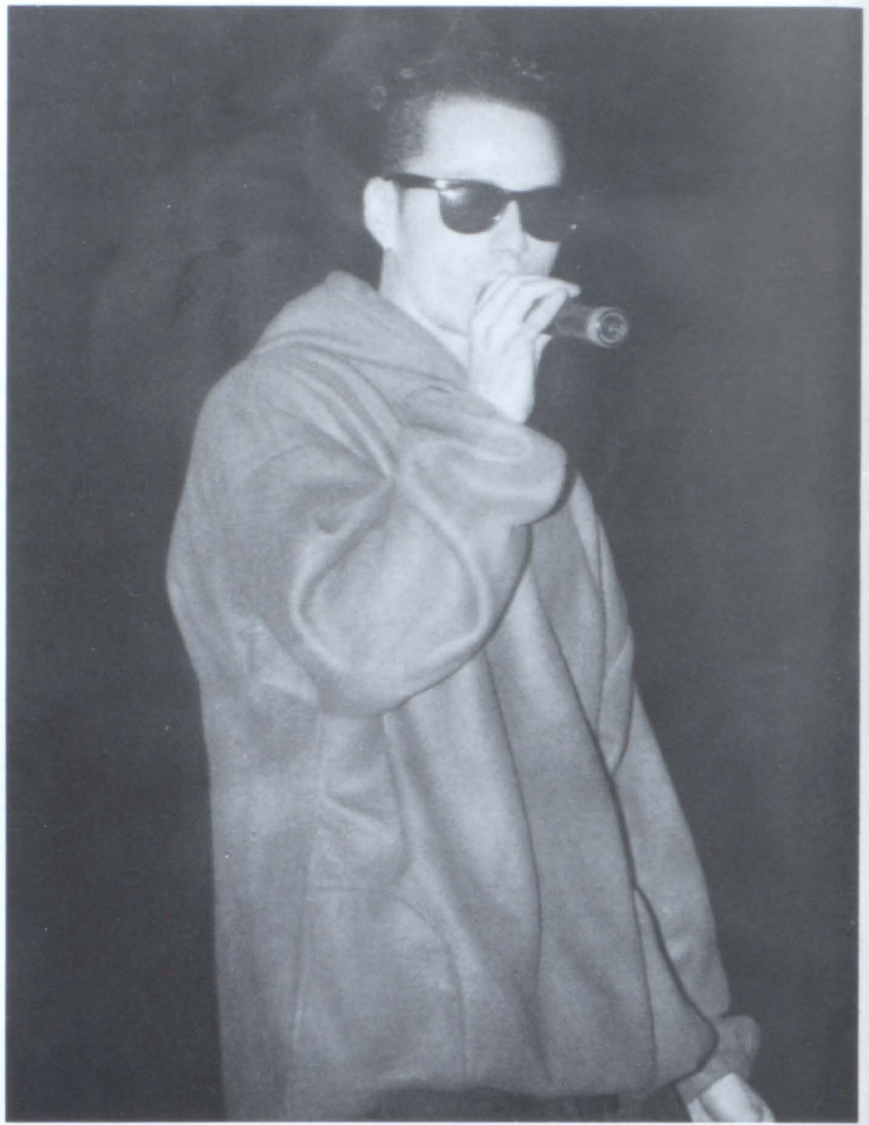
bus, "people preferred to stand than sit by me".

Bum Day wasn't instituted to mock homeless people, as some teachers suggested, but instead it was introduced in fun. Although, the participation of students was few, Bum Day brought smiles and laughter throughout the halls of Barringer.



Seniors take a break before heading for lunch

A teacher helps a student in need.





“LIVE” at Barringer

“Concerts never start on time”, a student said as he tried to calm down his girlfriend who was screaming, “We want the show!” They, and an auditorium filled with Barringer students, were waiting in anticipation of the first live concert to be held at our school in many years.

Within an hour, Hot 97.1 presented the performers of the night, LA Rock, TPE, and, the highlight of the evening: “Two Without Hats.”

Seats no longer existed for the audience. In excitement,

they rushed in front of the stage to touch or receive a personal smile from the performers. The fortunate received hats, posters, and pictures that were thrown from the stage. After hours of singing and screaming, the reverberating of the ears finally ended.

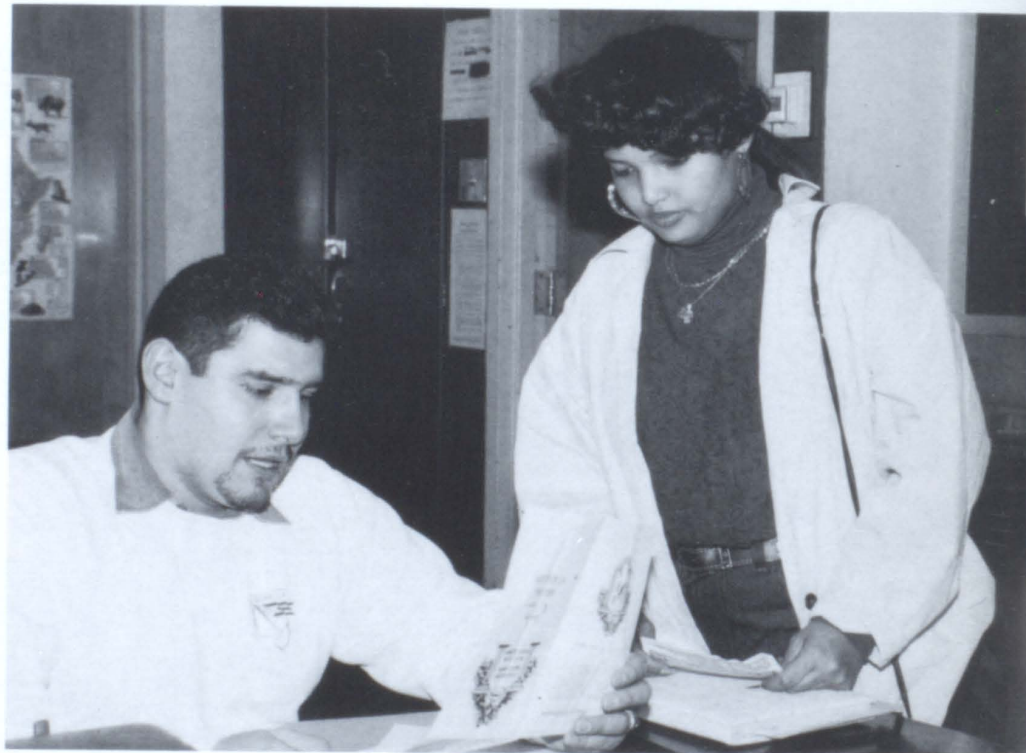
But the excitement wasn’t over, backstage students pushed through the crowd to receive autographs and pictures of Two Without Hats. December 13th, 1991 was a night that spectators would remember.



The Heads of the Class



Senior Class adviser, Mr. Wilson Martinez explains to members the need for more fundraising activities.



Senior class members listen attentively to other student's ideas.

Mr. Martinez and Senior Class president, Daisy Velasquez finalize plans for the Prom.



Senior Class Committee members: Yesenia Rivera, Alice Foster, Laureen Phipps, Tia Montique, Pres.Daisy Velasquez, Vanessa Solomon, Sherry Cooper, Kia Taylor, Taj Herbert, Andre Sewell, V.P. Kenneth Jerry, & Lorena Vega

A small feud develops over Prom matters.



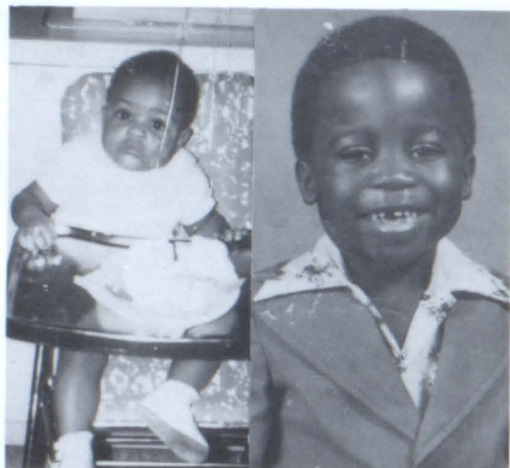
Words of the wise fail to amuse members.

Students patiently await for the meeting to adjourn.

Those were the days . . .



Antonio Arroyo



Tammy Baskerville

Antonio Bodison



Lynette Brackett

Rashana Brown



Elizabeth Camacho

Evelyn Carmona



John Chambers

Sherry Coreone



Tamika Crook

Vernon Crook



Brunilda Cruz

Shalonda Curry



Elvira Cruz

Maria DeJesus



Federico Diaz

Felicia Fair



Monica Flowers

Shalazar French



Angela Gadsen

Yajaira Gaetan



Maria Garrido

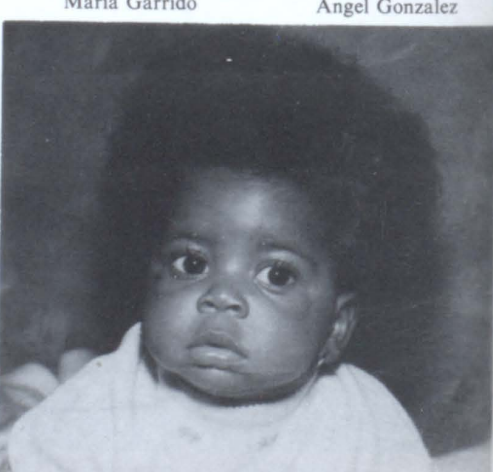
Angel Gonzalez



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Tawana Green



Shaikil Grisham



Mary Guzman



Wanda Guzman



Quamane Hawkins



Dayshone Henderson



Rasheen Jenkin



Danna Jones



Monique Hernandez



Rolando Hernandez



Trina Flood



Tonya Jackson



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Kisha Manley



Luz Martinez



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Elaine Meyer



Melissa Miller



Tia Montique



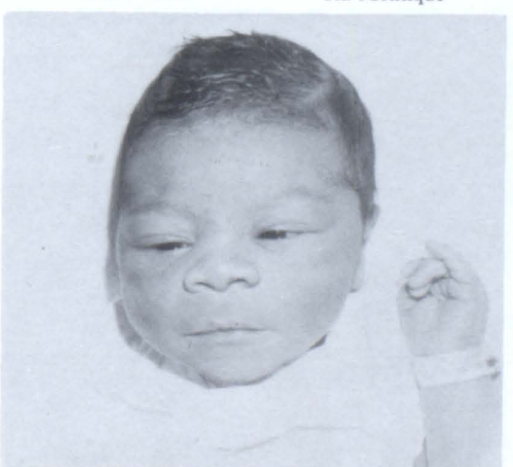
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Ricky Morrison



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Cynthia Ortega



Joey Ortega



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Lillian Padilla



Alma Pascual



Natalie Perez



Erika Phatter



Lauren Phipps



Phyllis Pierce



Myrna Ponce



Effrain Ponce



Jose Reyes



Angel Rivera



Brenda Rivera



Erica Rivera



Yesenia Rivera



Ayesha Robinson



Doris Robinson



Adelina Rodriguez



Melvin Rodriguez



Mildred Rodriguez



Elsie Romero



Carmen Rosa

Alexander Santiago



Jose Santiago

Leon Simmons



Carlos Torres



Esther Suero

Kia Taylor



Wyvonne Tierell

Eddie Torres



Jackie Torres



Carlos Valentin



Denny Valdez



Laura Vega

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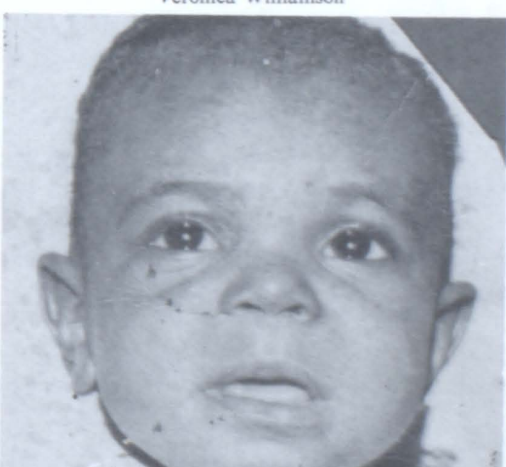
Lamont Williams



Jocelyn Woolridge



Christopher Wyatt



Ronesa Youngblood

What Was

Major Events

*Thurgood Marshall resigns
Clarence Thomas VS Anita Hill;
Thomas not guilty of sexual harassment and appointed new Supreme Court judge
PeeWee plays in his playhouse
Latoya Jackson reveals secret of abuse by parents
Whitney Houston engaged to Bobby Brown
Star Trek, the last voyage?
William Kennedy Smith is found innocent of rape charges*

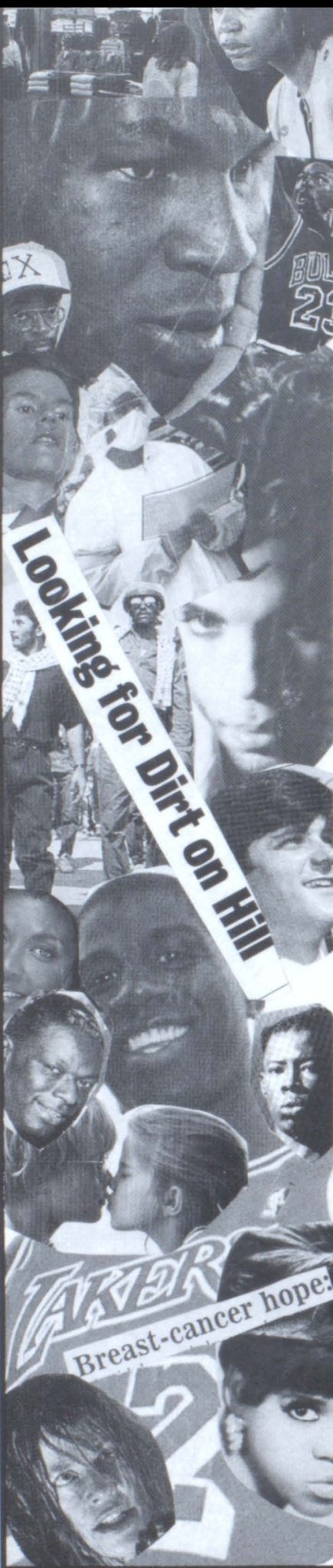
*Bush travels to Japan for trade concessions
Magic Johnson quits Lakers because he is HIV positive
Tyson accused of raping a former Ms. America
Bush eats bad fish
Hudson, heaviest man in the world(1000 lbs) dies
Julia Roberts & Keifer Sutherland; to be or not to be?
Israel raids base in South Lebanon
SuperBowl-Redskins VS Bills; 37 to 24
Soviet Union dissolved; 47 nations
Twins win World Series; 4 out of 7*

Wardrobe

*Jordans
Champion
Benetton
Nike
Reebok
Gap
Filas
Guess
Aeropostale
BUM*

TV Shows

*90210
In Living Color
True Colors
Different World
Arsenio Hall Show
The Apollo
The Cosby Show
The Simpsons
Roseanne
Fresh Prince of Bel Air
Blossom
Studs*



Where Have All the Jobs Gone?

BOSS

Bush seeking expanded Singapore

"IN" 91-92

Movies

Terminator II
House Party II
Cape Fear
Silence of The Lambs
Robin Hood
Boyz In The Hood
The Last Boy Scout
Dying Young
Juice
My Girl
The Hand That Rocks The Cradle
Strictly Business
Father of The Bride
Bugsy
Hook
The Prince Of Tides
Love Crimes

Actor/Actress

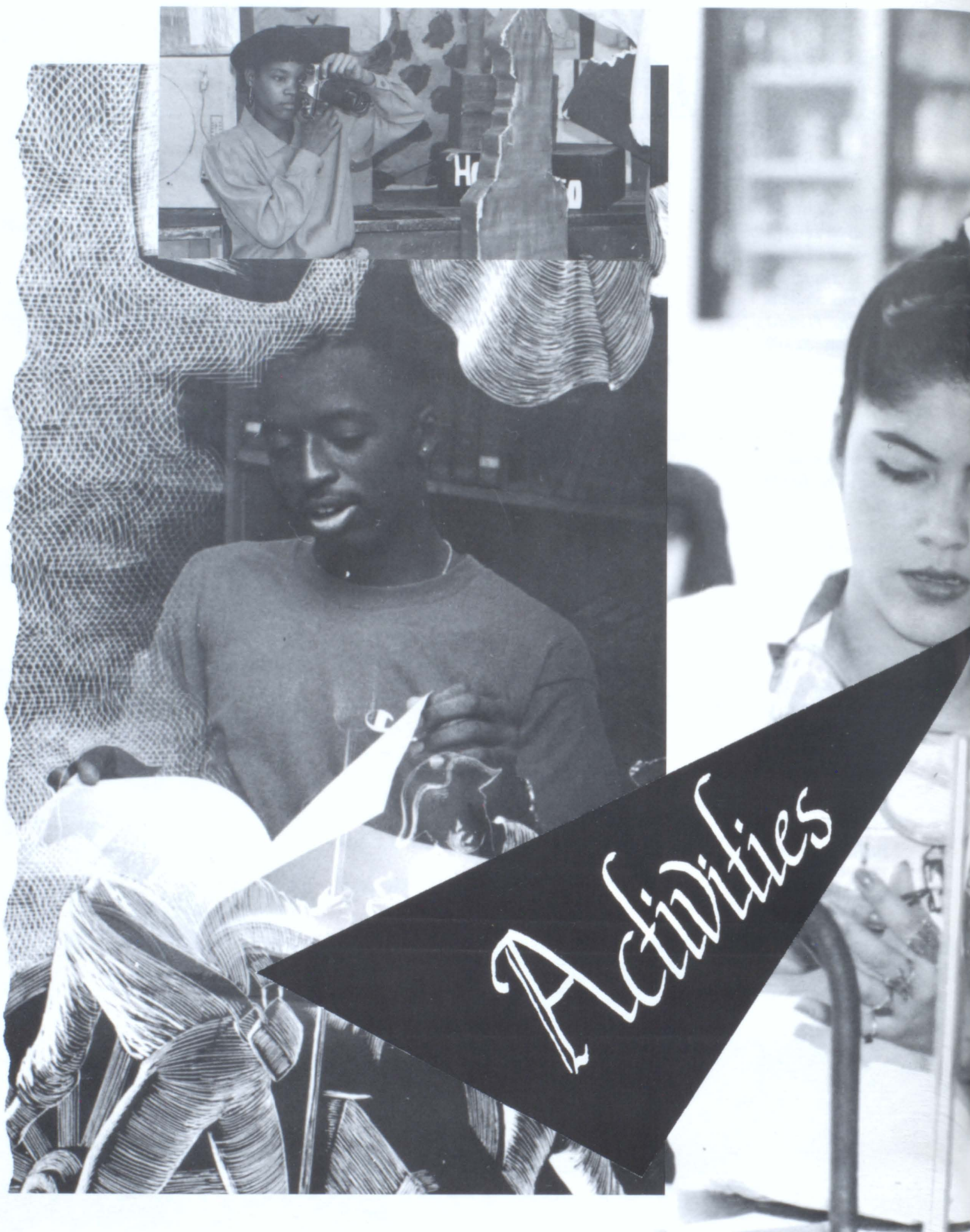
Kevin Costner
Wesley Snipes
Spike Lee
Richard Gere
Denzel Washington
Jean Claude Vann Damm
Steven Segal
Julia Roberts
The Wayans
Barbara Streisand

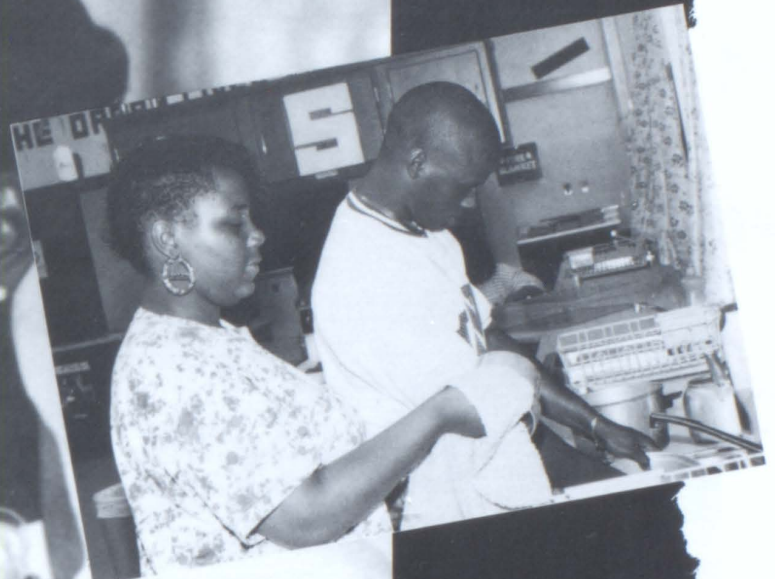
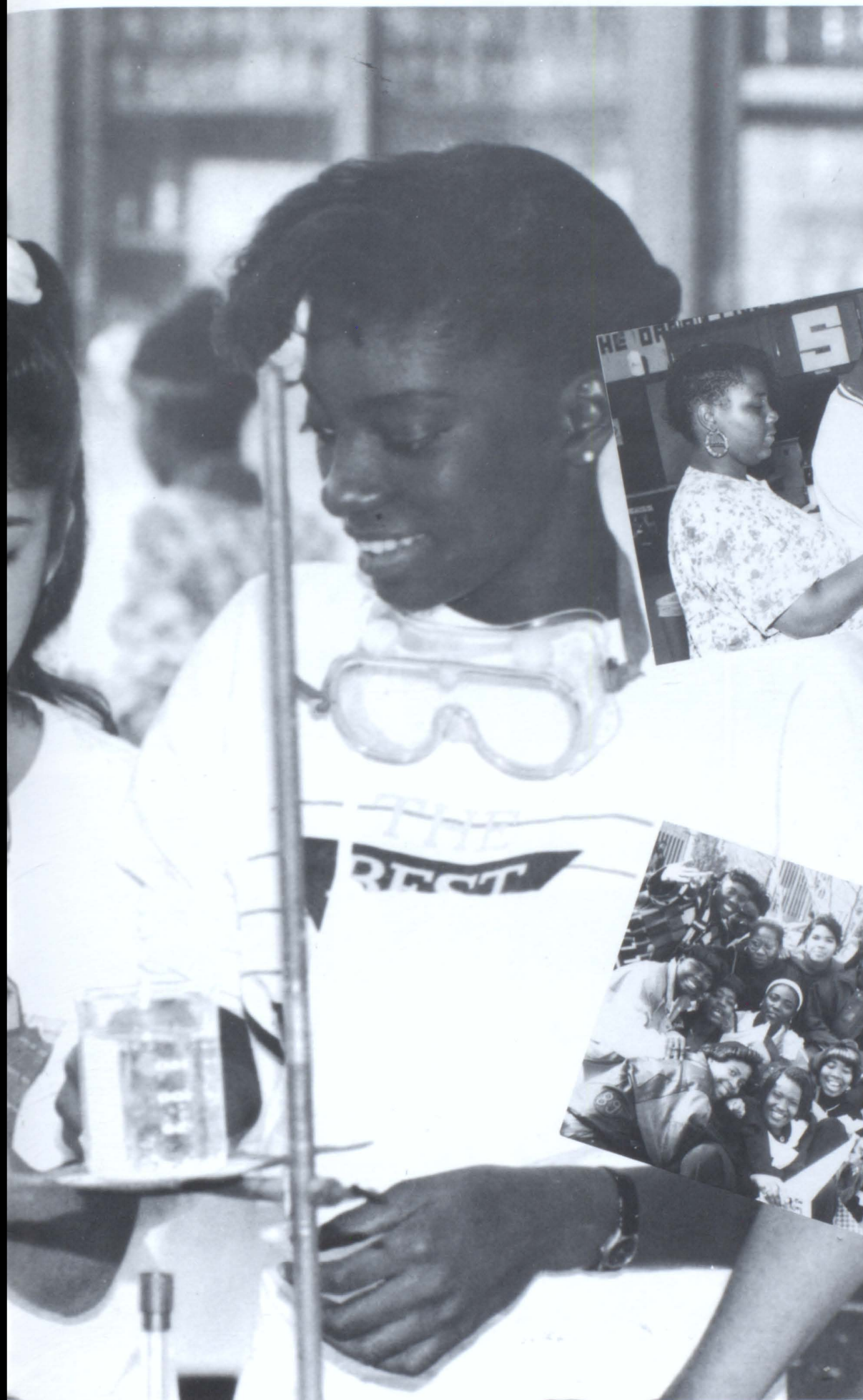
Music Artists

Michael Jackson
Bell Biv Devoe
Queen Latifah
Heavy D & The Boyz
Karyn White
Vanessa Williams
Hammer
Boyz II Men
Jodeci
Shabba Ranks
Chubb Rock
Tracie Spencer
Prince
Cece Peniston
Keith Sweat
Maxi Priest
Nice N' Smooth
Naughty By Nature
Hi-Five
Luther Vandross
Cece & Bebe Winans
Keith Washington



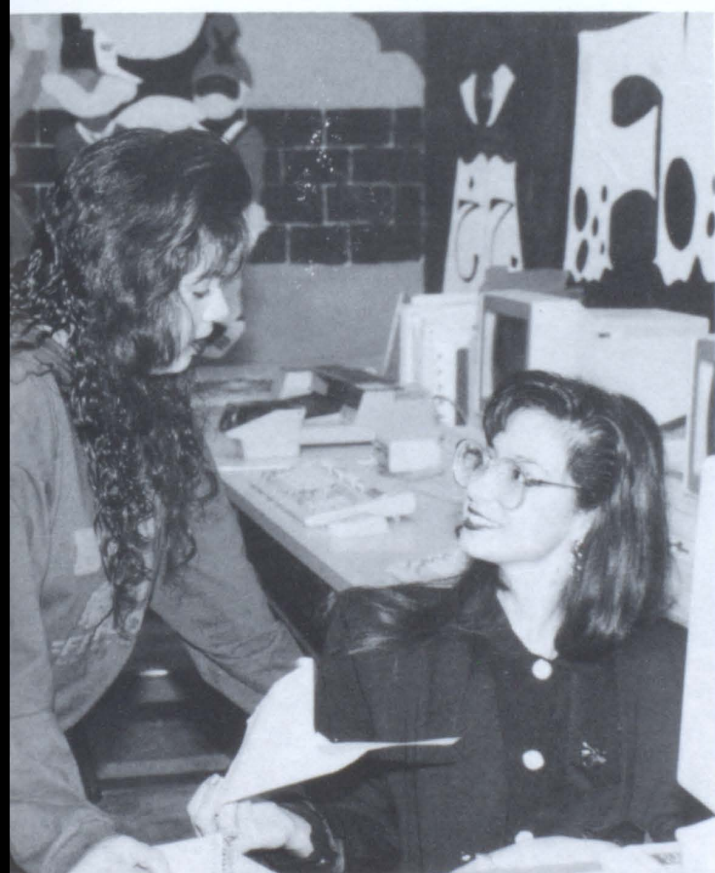
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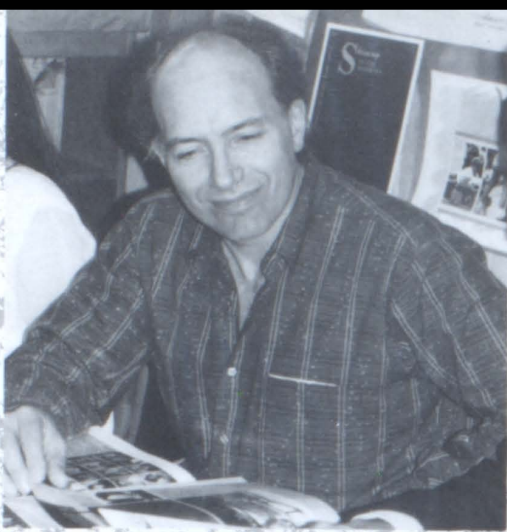


Athenaeum Staff

A clutter of books, papers and pens surround the rectangular table, while a group of students, perspiring over the fright of a deadline, push themselves further to create a uniquely designed yearbook. Collecting and selecting pictures and data, had been a very time consuming job for the staff, and producing something out of blank carbon paper is an even greater challenge. But the staff has made a great effort to

submit all the required information that makes up the school yearbook.

Athenaeum Editors: Editors In Chief- Lorena Vega & Laureen Phipps, Activities -Carlos Torres & Mary Guzman, Sports-Jennifer Worthen, Faculty, Student Life, & Directory Lorena Vega, Senior -Laureen Phipps, Artwork -Elsie Romero, Ads. - Raul Reyes, Athenaeum advisor -Mr. Sal Di Gerlando



Advisor- Mr. Sal Di Gerlando



Editor In Chief- Laureen Phipps

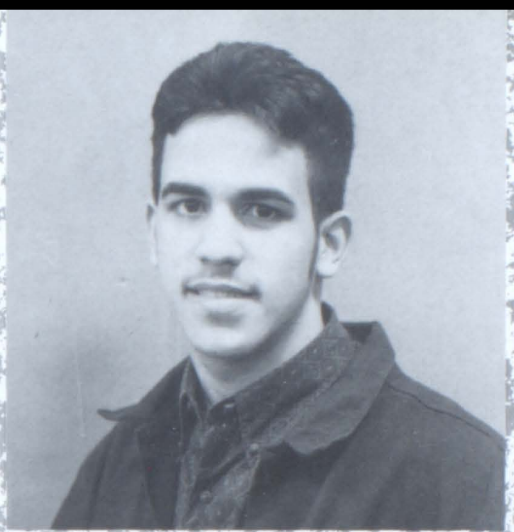


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Sports Editor- Jennifer Worthen

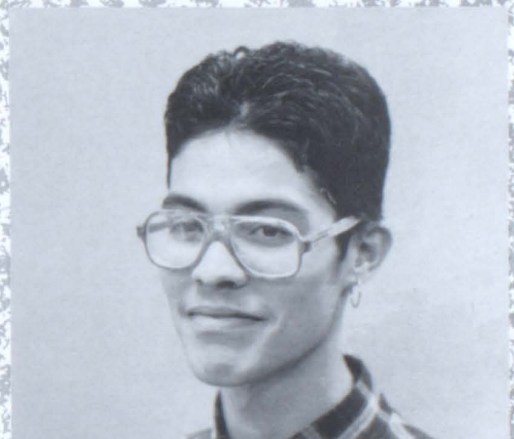




Activities Editor-Carlos Torres



Copy Editor-Jackie Torres



Ads Editor-Raul Reyes



Co-Activities Editor-Mary Guzman



Pictured: Jackie Torres, Jennifer Worthen, Lorena Vega, Elizabeth Sanchez, Carlos Torres, Maribel Lopez, Laureen Phipps & Mary Guzman Not pictured: Raul Reyes & Elsie Romero.

Acropolis News



Reporter-Elsie Romero



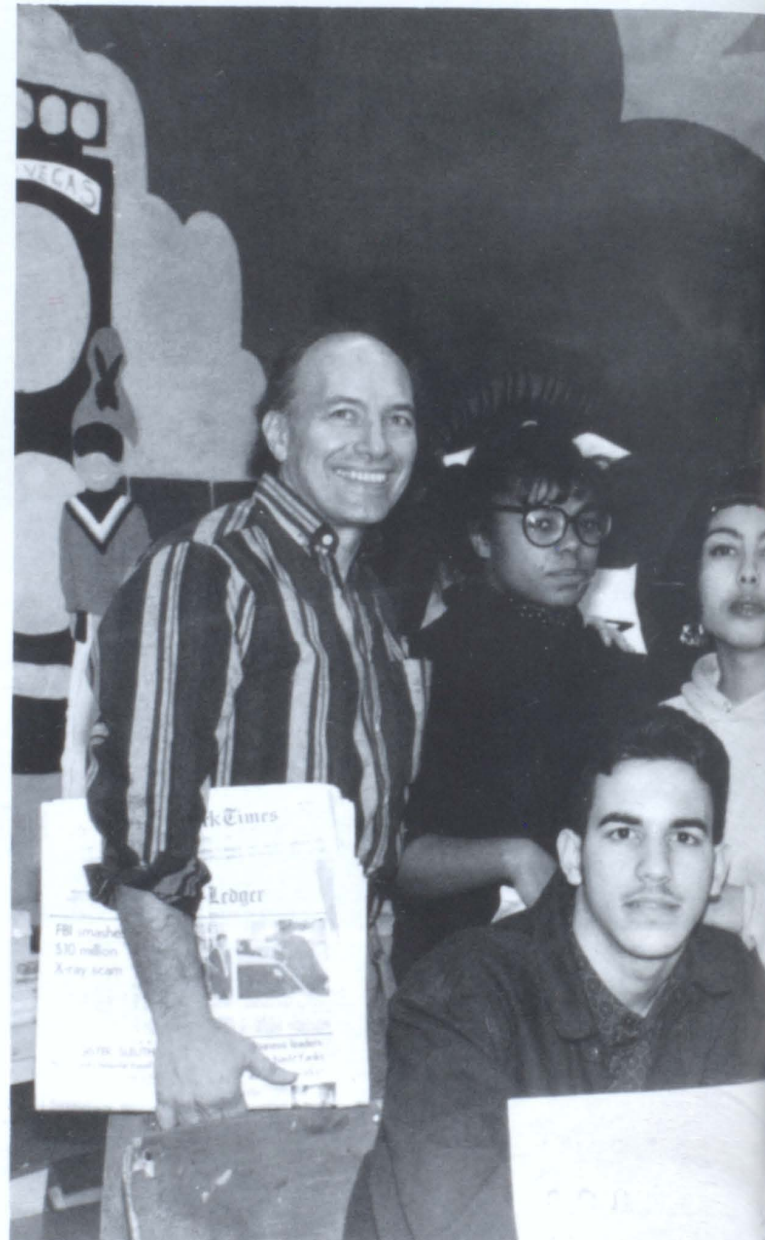
Reporter-Maribel Colon



Roving Reporter- Carlos Torres



Reporter- Lorena Vega



Pictured: Mr. Di Gerlando, Jennifer Worthen, Carlos Torres, Jackie Torres, Elizabeth Sanchez, Mary Guzman, Laureen Phipps, Raul Reyes Not pictured: Elsie Romero, Lamar Sears, Vanessa Solomon, Lorena Vega



Reporters-Elizabeth Sanchez & Jennifer Worthen



Editor In Chief- Laureen Phipps

Acropolis News

The Acropolis is released five times a year to entertain and provide news for students, teachers and parents. The staff consists of students who volunteer their time and energy to research, investigate and write the news

pertinent to Barringer's community. Endless hours after school are spent to produce an informative and innovative publication. Editor In Chief-Laureen Phipps. Advisor-Mr. Sal Di Gerlando



Drama/Speech Team



T. Herbert, D. Washington, K. Davis, K. Sanford, C. Bolden, J. Horton, V. Parks, T. Kirkland, D. Smith, G. Callendar, L. Brackett, A. Hlongwa, M. Hernandez, J. Santiago, A. Simmons, A. Baskerville, E. Tohen, A. Fogle, K. Manley, C. Dickerson, J. Souder, J. Brant

Drama/Speech

The Speech & Drama team consists of dedicated students interested in theater & public speaking. Drama provides students with theatrical training, performing experience and trips to community colleges and Broadway shows. Speech provides training for interscholastic competition in areas of public speaking. Each year, the team participates in almost 15 tournaments, in which numerous students have received trophies. Advisor — Mrs. T. Baskerville



Chorus



L. Jaquez, J. Santiago, J. Diaz, R. Hernandez, K. Jerry, A. Judkins, F. Santiago, J. Brant, K. Davis, D. Manning, E. Toter, W. Williams, A. Simmons, I. Watson, V. Parkes, K. Moore, S. Hagan, E. Suero, M. Figueroa, L. Cartagera, T. Gordon, C. Valentin, S. Dill, Q. Hughes, C. Jones, E. Meyers, M. Miller, M. Garrido, H. Mayol, T. McMillan, P. Lopez, N. Vazquez, N. Konah, M. Hernandez, J. Duff, Q. Walker, J. Morales, J. Maldonado

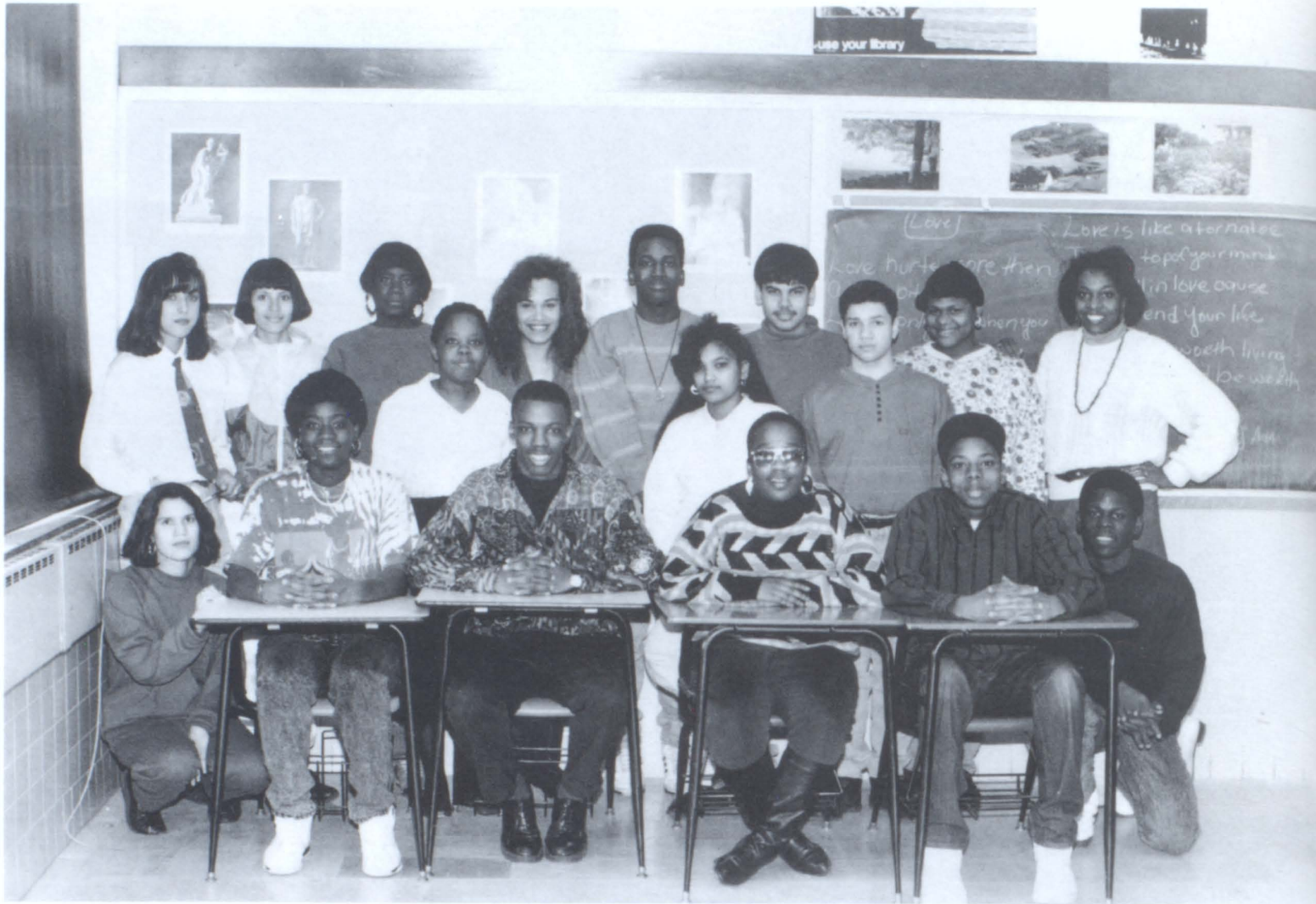


Senior Chorus members practice for a concert.

Chorus

The Chorus makes beautiful music through the use of well controlled voices. To learn and enjoy the art of music, particularly singing, the chorus members take part in concerts, assemblies, trips, and after school rehearsals. The participants also compete in choir festivals at community colleges. These reknown singers have received trophies, plaques and positive critiques for their outstanding work. Advisor — Mrs. B. Herring

Student Council



C. Silva, M. Garcia, A. Hlongwa, M. Arroyo, A. Davis, Y. Buddhu, O. Lopez, D. Vargas, L. Berry, Ms. D. Smith, R. Gonzales, C. Williams, Pres: K. Jerry, T. Jackson, J. Brant, D. Gilbert

Student Council

The Student Council helps establish a better atmosphere for learning by creating a greater cohesion between teachers, students, and their staff members. It also helps students organize and carry out projects to benefit school fund raising,

and leadership training. The students take part in special events such as Voter registration drive; and city wide student council. Outstanding students get special awards for their work at the senior assembly. Advisor: Ms. Smith



Acropolis Literary Magazine



Alex Judkins, Rivelina Roy, Tracey Thompson, Mr. Miller, Eduardo Gillette, Omar Montanez, Derek Rue



Vanessa Solomon, a writer for the Literary Magazine

Acropolis Literary Magazine

The Acropolis Literary Magazine, which dates back to 1921, is the oldest student magazine in Newark. The Literary Magazine provides an outlet for our student's creative writing skills. This publication, which contains

poems and stories written by our budding authors, is distributed to students, faculty, and staff. Their goal each year is to produce two successful publications. Advisor: Mr. Miller

Booster Club

Booster Club

The Booster Club is a fundraising event for the athletic department. In order to make money they sell t-shirts, pennants, shakers, and other booster items. Members are very dedicated to their work, active participants receive special recognition at the end of the year. Advisor: Mrs. Salzano



Mrs. Salzano, Myrna Ponce, , Yesenia Rivera, , Maria Garrido, Felicia Meeks, Michelle Hernandez

Aspira Club

Aspira Club

The goal of the Aspira is to improve the social and economical situation of Hispanics in the United States. Aspira provides Hispanic students with information on various careers. Advisor Mr. Figueroa



D. Marchena, L. Acevedo, J. Reyes, A. Almodovar, D. Vargas, C. Rosa, C. Santiago, M. Padilla, M. Figueroa, W. Padilla, M. Quinones, H. Lopez, J. Medero

Archives Club



Carlos Torres, Lauren Phipps, Raul Reyes and President: Jennifer Worthen

Archives Club

Members of the Barringer Archive History Club work with yearbooks from 1860-1990. Information about our school is obtained from journals that were written before yearbooks were mass produced. The Archive is working on recording data from the journals onto computer disks. Advisor: Mr. Di Gerlando

Close-Up



Staceyann Sandy, Mary Cabral, Cleo Crossby, Mr. Berrgren Not Pictured: Akhenaton Egerton

Close-Up

Close-Up consists of a group of dedicated and determined students who research the functions of our government and study the way it operates. They learn what is going on around them, and to direct their concern to people who can make a difference. Students go on trips to Trenton and Washington. Advisor: Mr. Berrgren

Colorguard



Colorguard

The colorguard is one of the main promoters of school spirit in conjunction with the band. They perform at football games, parades, concerts and pep rallies during the year.

Formerly called "Flagwavers" many years ago, the Colorguard use flags, banners, and other devices to raise the cheers of the crowd.



Cheerleaders



The 1991-92 Cheerleading Squad with advisor, Ms. Mackey.



Cheerleaders contribute to team spirit at Homecoming.

Cheerleaders

The cheerleaders support the various sports, provide entertainment for spectators and promote school spirit. They work with the marching band and the colorguards to entertain at pep rallies and other school activities. They also take part in special events such as Sportsmanship Day and team breakfasts in the school. Advisor: Ms. Mackey

Student Leadership

Student Leadership

The goal of the Student Leadership group is to provide opportunities for students to distinguish themselves by having a positive effect on their school. Students receive two days of training in October to help them learn leadership skills. Advisor: Ms. Smith



Ms. Smith, Akhenaton Egerton, Taj Herbert, Omar Lopez, David Goyco

Future Teachers

Future Teachers

The Future Teachers Program consists of students who are interested in becoming teachers. Students enrolled in this program must have a C average or higher. At the end of the year, active participants receive 4-year scholarships at Montclair State College. Advisor: Ms. Ceceri



Mrs. Dominquez, Quantel W., Janice H., Vera W., Jennifer J., Ms. Ceceri, Mr. DiPietro, Charlotte J., Daniel V., Marilyn O. Francisco S., Josephine J.

French Club



Lisandra P., Jennifer W., Mr. Delvisco, David G., Daisy V., Rose Mary L., Tawana G., Sharese H.

French Club

Members of the French Club learn about France and other countries. They also try to help various organizations in world suffering. They have weekly meetings and parties to celebrate certain holidays. Many seniors who actively participate receive certifications of merit. Advisor: Mr. Del Visco

Bilingual Club



Jansell N., Doris D., Ms. Candelario, Osvaldo R., Oscar V., Federico D., Ureliza M.

Bilingual Club

The Bilingual Culture Club provides educational and social needs pertaining to the school and it's community. They hold dances commemorating holidays. At the end of the school year, the club members and their friends go on trips. Advisor: Ms. Candelario

Marching Band

Band

The marching band's goal is to build enthusiasm for music along with musical taste so that performance standards worthy of each participant's abilities can be achieved. The band performs at football games, parades, school assemblies and concerts. Advisor: Mr. Oshea



Jamal D., Wally M., Chalton H., Felix O., Angel A., David G., Lamont L., Cosme D., Angel G., James S., Curtis J., Absui C., Janier W., Lakiesha W., Latonya B., Yashanda B.



International Club



International

Members of the International Club are given the opportunity to learn about the cultures of various countries. Their curiosity helps build a diverse perspective on life. Advisor: Ms. Friend

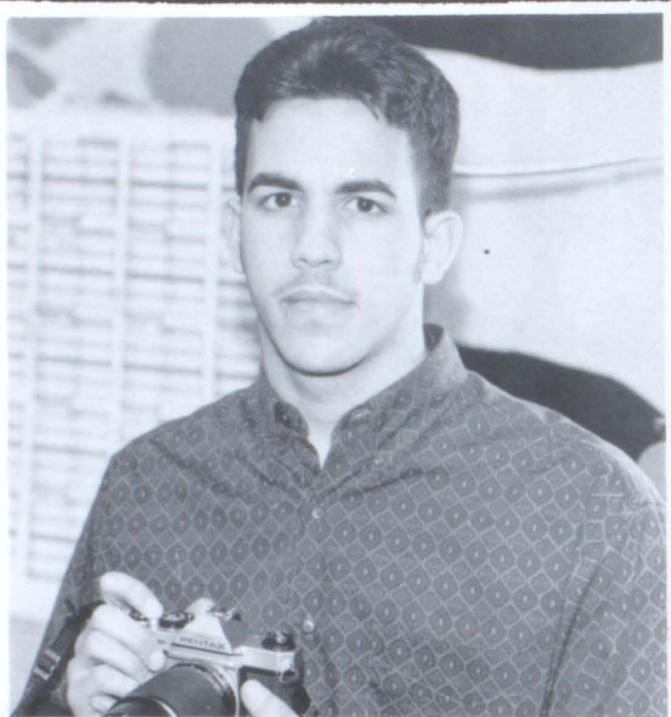
Senior Class Committee



Senior Class

The Senior Class Committee consists of senior volunteers who help make decisions pertaining to the class of 92. They plan fundraising activities to benefit the class trip, prom, and other senior events for the school year. Advisor: Mr. Martinez

Pres: Daisy Velazquez, V.P: Kenneth Jerry, Treasurer: Shaikl Grisham, Kia Taylor, Sherry Cooper, Tia Montique, Maria Garrido, Felicia Meeks, Taj Herbert, Andre Sewell, Yesenia Rivera



Photography





Photography

The photography club is a group of talented individuals who have demonstrated their skills by capturing the bare essence of the events and activities that occurred during this year. Both the yearbook and newspaper depend on the photographs taken around the school. Advisor: Mr. Di Gerlando





Sports



VOLLEYBALL

This year was an extraordinary season for the Volleyball team, coached by Ms. Regina Wright. The team's greatest accomplishment was defeating Ridgewood 3-2. This loss shut them out from playing in the state tournament. Even though this may seem a minor accomplishment to some people, the entire school is proud of them. This major triumph reflects on the bright future for the volleyball squad.

The team consists of . . . Bottom Row: Michelle Hernandez, Rosa Lantiqua, and Kenea Rosario. Second Row: Elsie Romero, Rosa Uribe, Lidavine Rivera, and Aineabel Diaz. Last Row: Coach Regina Wright, Carolyn Perez, Christie Williams, Lee Rivera, and Tita Torres.

Coach Wright is very proud of her team. She feels that the next few

years will bring stronger and more eager teammates. "I feel that our varsity seniors have the potential to play at a higher level. Good luck to them in the near future."

Christie Williams, volleyball and basketball player, was a great asset to her team. She was able to make many spikes and save many balls. She helped keep her teammate's spirits up on the bus rides to and from many games. And, despite the fact that this was her first year on the volleyball team, she had an outstanding year. Elsie Romero, former captain, remained a strong player throughout the course of the year, and maintained tough opposition. Michelle Hernandez played for the last two years, and kept a good standing with her teammates.





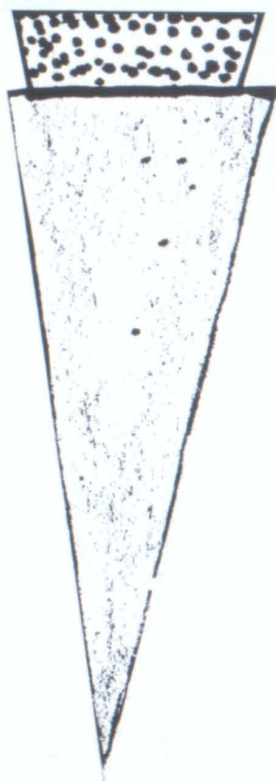
Above, Carlyn Perez goes for the save.

Below, Elsie Romero assists with a low ball.

Even before it started, the game created a turmoil among the crowd of spectators. Ridgewood students and parents stumbled onto the scene at the gym to witness a devastating turn of events. Shouts of threats came from their corner, in an attempt to intimidate Barringer players. But, the fatal blow occurred when Ridgewood decided to take their varsity out and place their J.V. in, believing that they could defeat the Mighty Blue. They were, however, disappointed in the end. "You should have seen their faces," senior Christie Williams commented. "It was awesome! Tons of shocked people saying it would be an easy win for Ridgewood. Their mouths dropped down to the floor when our team skinned them." It's a great feeling to win! But, whether we won or lost, we played like a team and not like individuals. "Christie Williams makes a hit," said Coach Wright. "Every year the volley ball team has high hopes for the Junior Varsity team. Christie brings a new style in the field volley ball. Good luck to the preceeding teams."



Tennis Girls & Boys



Let's meet the girls tennis team Fall '91. Front Row: Sonja Benefield, Srytea Springer, Erica Rulas, and Yessina Martinez. Second Row: Co Captain Mary Cabral, Chandra Shanker, Shiva Ameri, Elizabeth Sanchez, Captain Jennifer Worthen. Last Row: Evelyn Lantiagua and Coach Kimberly Grant. Not pictured Pinal Shah.

This was the best season for the girls. The team maintained a good score and exhibited great skills on the court. And toward the end of their hit season, players not only became better at the game of tennis, but learned to appreciate it as well.

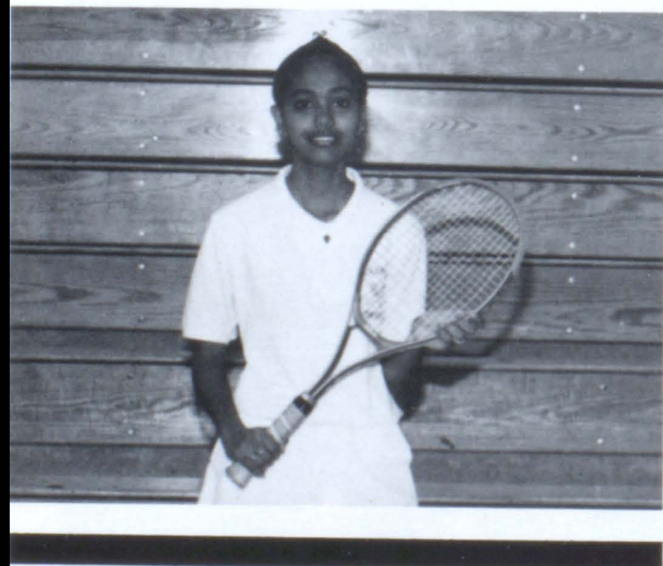
Some of the elite players such as were

Chandra Shanker and Shiva Ameri displayed good sportmanship ability and worked well with other teammates.

Jennifer Worthen displayed her admiration for tennis. The love for her school, and the sport of tennis, was evident by her struggle to train members in warm-ups and enlightened long bus rides.

Chandra Shanker stimulated good ideas that helped bring the spirit of the Blue out of every member.

Coach Kimberly Grant was one of the most dependable coaches the team had. She gave up her Saturdays and Sundays to train players, and bring out the best in every one of them.





Boys tennis team spring '92 consists of: Left, Elton John Griffith, visting non-member helper Taj Herbert, Graduate Tyree Houser. Middle Coach Kimberly Grant.

Right: Sulton Alley, Ramone Melian, visting graduate Imtaz Mohamid, not pictured M.Alley

This year, filled with poise and confidence, the team was prepared to take the first steps into Barringer's 1992 Tennis history. With the genius of Coach Grant, and the team's ability to learn quickly, they made an inevitable contribution to the Barringer motto of "Truth, Honor, and Light." Many years ago, Barringer had very few players on their boy's tennis team. But as the years progressed, team members began multiplying, and the coaches

were being rotated until a more co-operative and experienced coach came along. In other words success! The consensus among team members was that if the ability isn't there the willingness to learn will help make success.

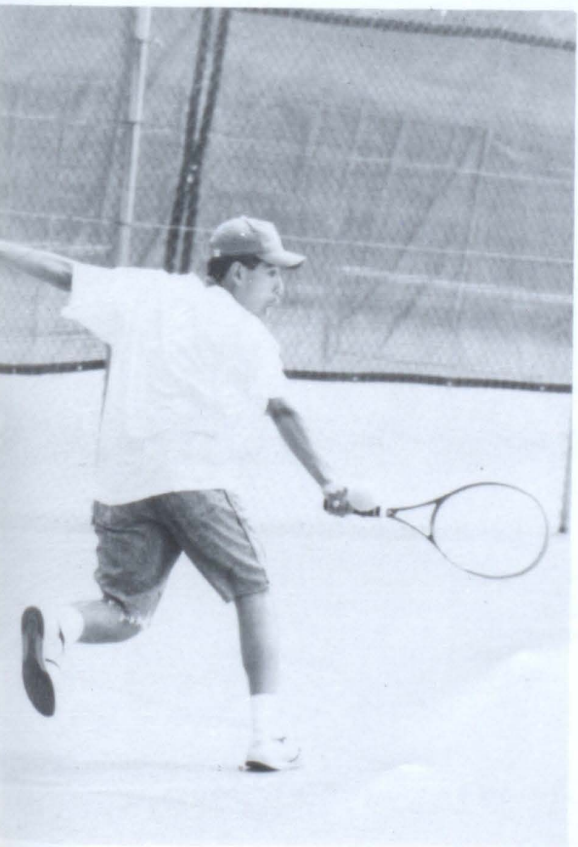
Before the season, the team lacked confidence and did not feel they could win.

Now they are ready and willing for everything.

Left, Jackson shows his winning forehand.

Bottom, See Ramone retaliate from a low near ace.

Below, If the team wins the coach suffers the consequences. Water and ice is dumped over coach Kimberly Grant's head. Yipes!!!!



Golf

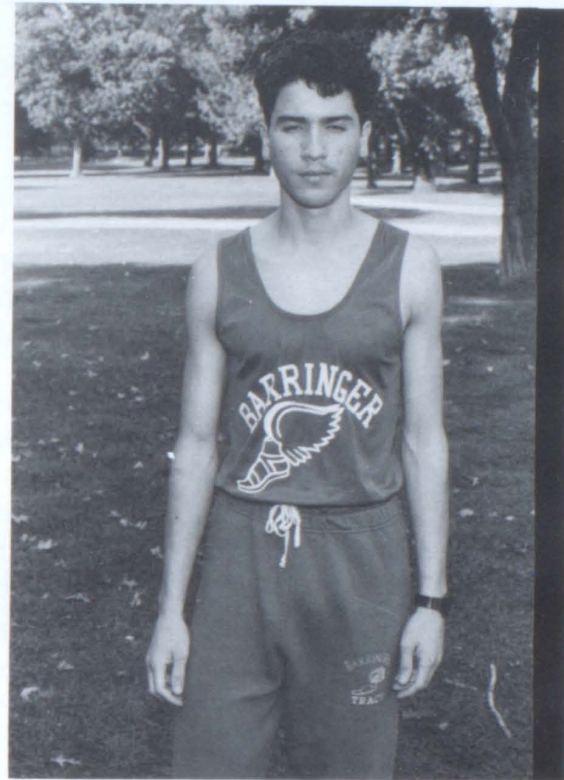


The golf season began to bring everybody who wanted to learn golf. As an unpopular sport for mostly aggressive athletes, it is fun to learn for people who plan to enter the business world. Most adults play for many years for personal gratification. It's another game that you can grow on.

Even though the team is small, they had the opportunity to participate in this calm sport. The team members are Clifford Scott, Coach Corstanza, Henry Williams. "I like to play golf because it is a soothing fun sport," said Clifford Scott. The coach feels that his team will be the best yet in Barringer history.



Cross Country



The Cross country team is pleased to announce that Juan Aponte has won a bronze medal. As a senior Juan should carry out his training and perhaps continue to run in college. The coach believes he has the natural ability to do so.

The Fall 1991 team is made up of . . . Top row: Coach Lucas, Jacinto Alayon, Jaun Aponte, Nelson Galarza, Marlo Brown, and Coach Harry Snyder.

Center: Tony Little, Billy Thompson, David Taylor, Camilio Balbuena, Rupert Nataroo, and Daniel George.

Front: Rajan Saunders, Mirsha Chestham,

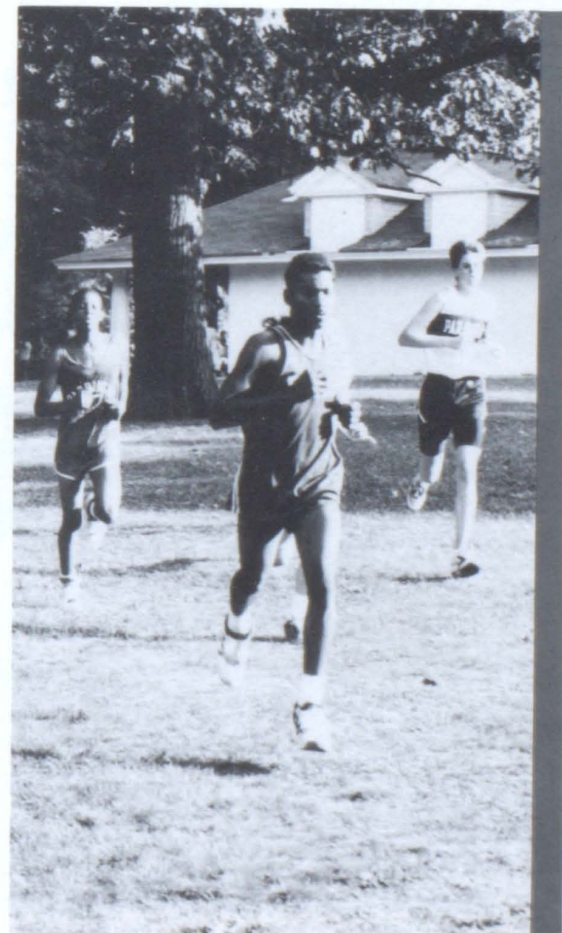
Tsheera Singleton, Lakeeshsa Williamson, and Ernesto Melendez.

On the right, Juan Aponte the star on the team.

Below, Rupert Nataroo keeping a good pace in the race.

Far left, Barringer's team making it to the halfway point.

Not pictured, senior David Taylor- they could really depend on him to keep spirits up. Coach Snyder said, "They are really a nice bunch of athletes. The season went by so fast, and that's a good sign because everyone must have enjoyed it."



Soccer Fall 91'

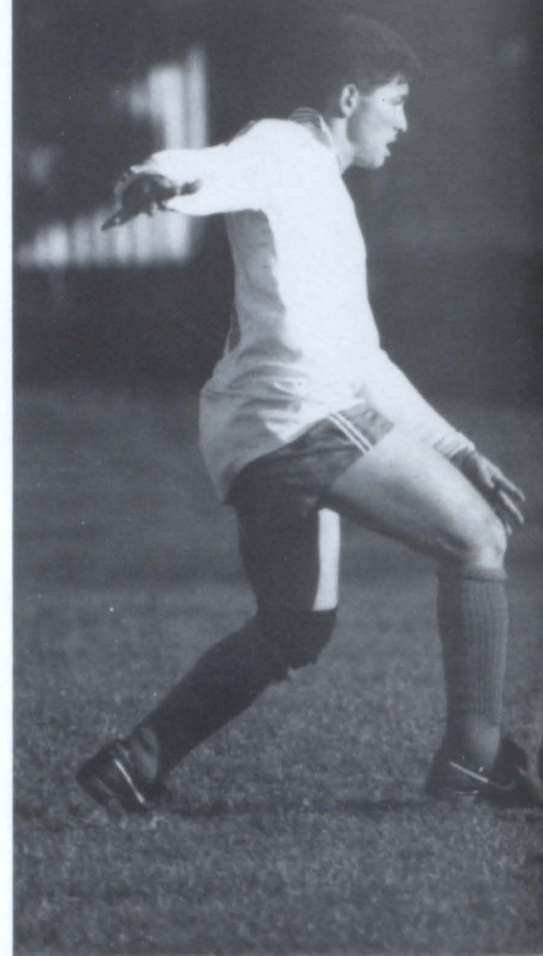
The team of all teams is soccer, the reason for this notice is that everyone put together all the effort to have their names on time for the yearbook. And on behalf on the yearbook staff a personal thanks.

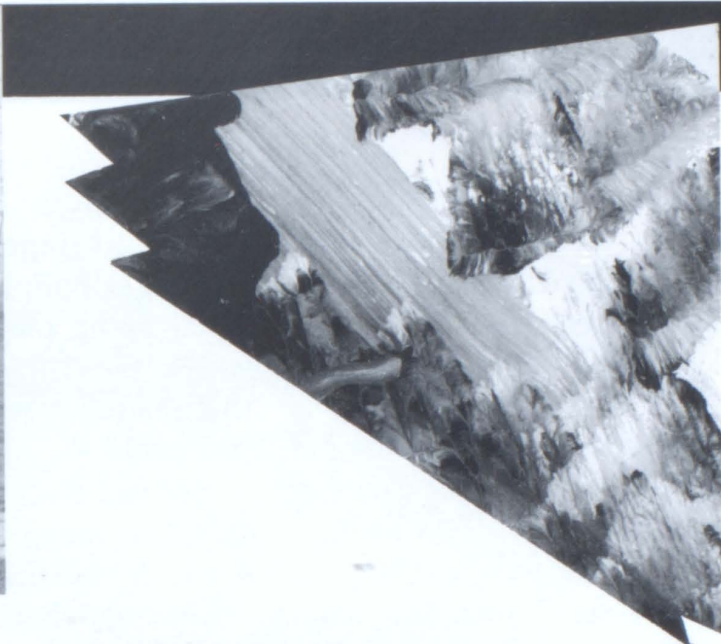
Group photo, below. First Row: Coach Tom Lawton, Joseph hunte, Jorge Perna, Otto Momroy, Asuma Udedet, Manlio Guardiola, Egig Ayyad, Enerst Jones, Wayne Singh, Moise Guardiola. Front Row: Eric Vi-zuete, Jamaine Don, Ola Lagnda, Alex Martin, Jose Merchan, Captain Mustafa Ojibara, Co Captain Alonso Monus, Marco Castaneda, Smile Barbaran, Carlo Noriega, Milton Mejia.

The team had an inspiring

coach. This made playing the game this season so great. The main rules to remember were to be a good sport and be tough, because nobody wants to let a ball get by. Captain Mustafa Ojibara was an outstanding player, and made his prescence known by his enlightened play. The team is glad to have had him as a captain, and will miss him after he leaves. New players who made a good start will hopefully remain influenced by many of the graduated players.

Mustafa Ojibara commented, "Playing for Barringer made me realize the need to be a student and an athlete. I liked my tea-mates, and we worked together well.





The part in playing this sport is the ability to move quickly from one side to the next. These young men displayed many of these strong characteristics that made the team a powerful impact on opponents.

Bottom front row: Milton Mejia, Mustafa Ojibara.

Behind: Milton Mejia, Carlo Noriega, and Ernest Jones.

These young men have the ability to continue their athletic achievements, and perhaps play at the professional level. They also demonstrated an awesome ability to impress the opposition with their many talents.



Baseball 92'

The baseball season welcomes the new coaches Mr. Maldonado and Jimmy Dykes. Every year the team loses many valuable players and often has to rebuild. The team enjoyed the freedom of having two exciting coaches that demonstrated new personality on the field.

The seniors on the team made many improvements from last year's play. Any regrets were that there was not more time as the year progressed.

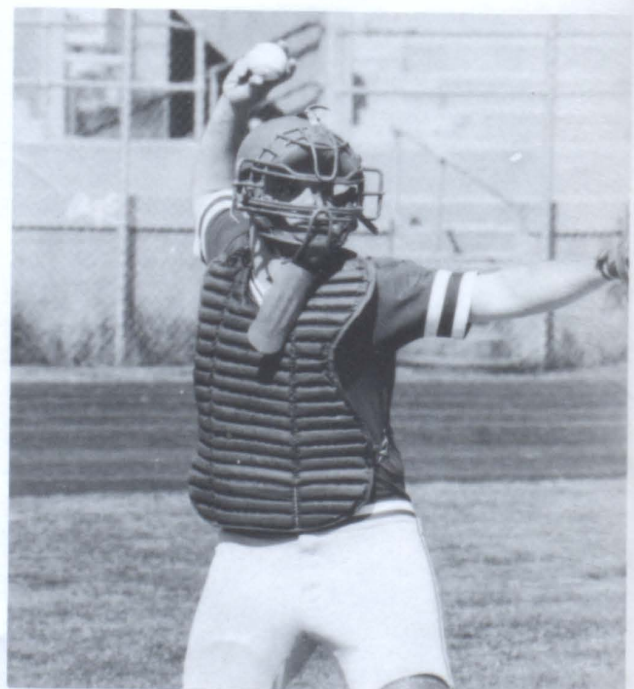
Ricardo Castro maintained his poise at his post, he shared the ease and freedom a good player would maintain. Aside from being

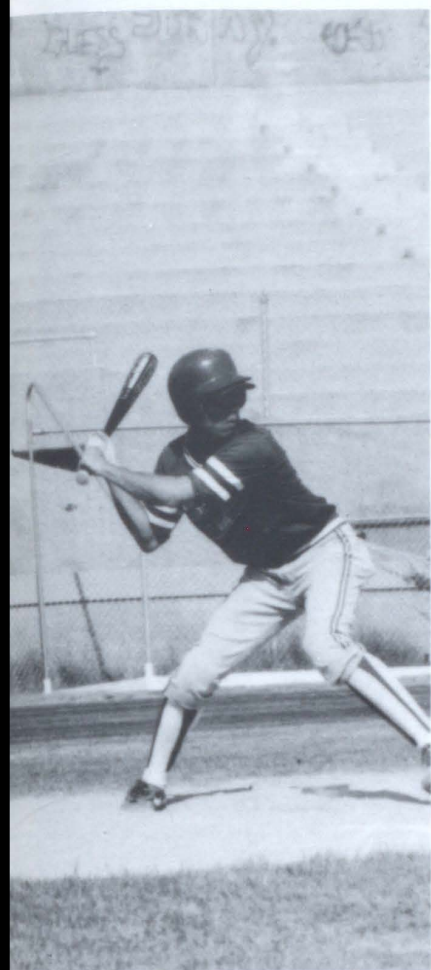
a good player, Ricardo is a person to depend on as a Barringer ballplayer. "I enjoyed being on the team it was a type of environment that made you want to be all you could — and more."

Below, Ricardo Castro doing his magic pitch which is worthy of many strikes.

Left, Catcher, Angel Rivera.

The coaches feel they all have the potential to make it. The attitudes toward success are gradually expanding to ways of high achievement, and that's what we as a school want to see happen for all our students on our team.





Now meet the team these guys are showing the ultimate in new styles of playing.

Back Row: Coach Maldonado, Danny Valentin, Ricardo Castro, Carlos Perez, Cisco Ortiz, Coach Robert Dykes.

Next Row: Jose Ramos, Roberto Torres, Juillo Perez, Angel

Rivera, Hector Lopez.

Last Row: Manny Goyco, Tony Hevaz, Roberto Jiminez, and Marty Gonzalez.

These are the fine young men who have outstanding futures. We wish them success in their life. Hopefully their success will make them into caring adults.



THE HISTORICAL GAME

In 1897, the first Thanksgiving game between Barringer and East Orange High School was played. Win or lose the game is always significant in our schools history. It is always one of the most outstanding games of the season.

Years ago, Barringer would cream East Orange easily, and the trophy was consistently ours. But in recent years, the trophy became harder to hold on to.

We have to get tough and regain our poise as champions and leaders. Lets look at the past for our guidance and rise to our victory.

In Fall of 1974, Barringer is playing away at the Ashland field in East Orange. The game is tense all of Barringers students and graduates are watching, the packed stadium is filled with worried people for the outcome of the days event. The team wins by crushing East Orange 40 to 0 !!!

What makes a winning team ? First of all, you need a great coach and a competent team. But most of all, you need people rooting for the home team. School sprit is an important contribution to outstanding teams!

"When we play any team its always good to see a friend, classmates or parents at our game. The comfort in seeing you guys makes the difference, its like you have someone to perform for, and to me that makes the difference."

Lamont Leaf





As the Thanksgiving game becomes tense, concern in the outcome of the game deepens the teams worst fears.

Below Left, One of the many pileups during the course of the game.

Far right, Coach Rodriquez calls for a timeout.

Can we do it next year??? "Yes definitely. Our season will be different than it ever has. We have potential to win in football, as we do in other sports. This year, I am more than sure we will win the left footed kicker trophy back." stated Athletic director Ralph Salzano.



Football



The Football team of 1991-2 will have the privilege to use a weightroom donated by Mr. David Tse. This admirable man gave Barringer Football the opportunity to have new fitness equipment and body building machines that will change the way we produce our athletes. Barringer High also commends new football coach Ricardo Rodriguez who helped make the new gym come alive.

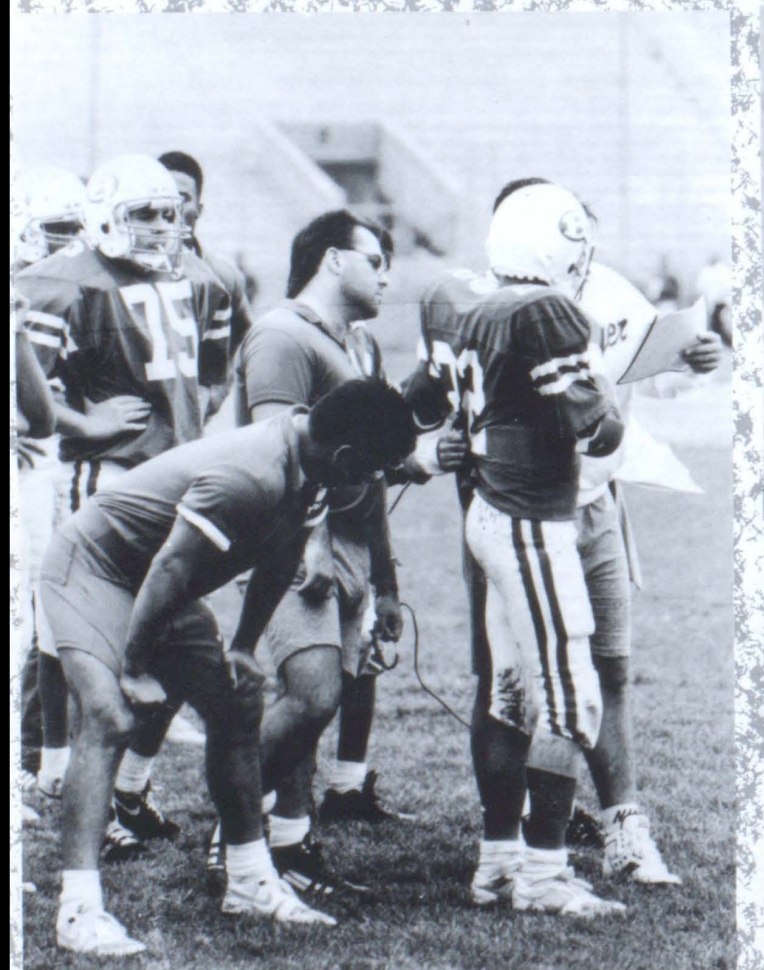
The game of football began as early as Plymouth Rock. The game was developed to entertain the

The team roster of the 1991 football team:

Gilbert Branch 12 FB-LB, Johnny Chambers 12 WB-LB, Matthew Dougherty 12 WR -CB, Xavier Eubanks 12 C-NB, Rodger Guerero 12 QB-FS, Raheem Hannibal 12 WB-CB, Mustafa Mosley 12, Curtis Jones 12 FB-FS, Kenyah Lindsey 12 TE-LB, Lamont Leaf 12 OD-TD, Keith Little 12 TE-LB, Hector Lopez 12 WR-CB, Chris Manning 12 C-NG, Jose Marrero 12 TE-FS, Terrill Robinson 12 Og-LB, Jermaine Sharp 12 OG-DE, Michael Owens 12 WB-FS, Dominic Tirado 12 OG-DT, Wayne Thompson 12 WR-CB, Lamont Williams

pilgrims and the Indians. The first game was played on Thanksgiving Day. Slowly, the good will game developed into a grinding spectator sport. As Football's popularity grew the game became more specialized and dynamic. In 1978, Barringer Football had reached its peak, when the team became All-City champs. No one dared to test the power of our teams. In those days we devastated any teams who dared to play us. This year we see that same great effort materialize.

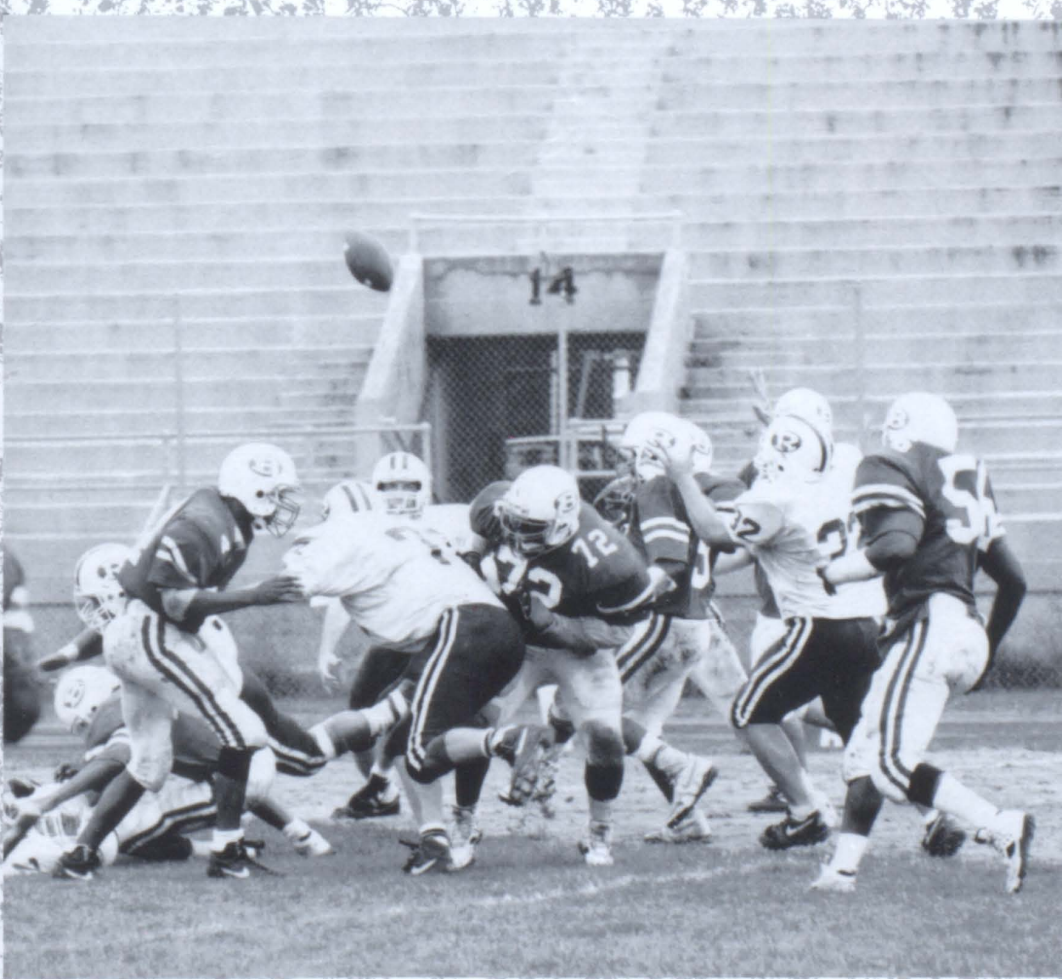
12 Te-DE, James Andrews 11 WR-LB, Lawrence Guions 11 WR-CB, Roderick Johnson 11 FB-LB, Matthew Milton 11, Patrick Price 11 WR-CB, Claude Smith 11 OT-TD, Steve Mann 11 TE-LB, Amin Sharif 11 RB-LB, Johnny Torres 11 OT-DT, Dorin Webb 11 OT-DT, Alexander Bruno 11 OT-DT, Dennis Bynum 10 OTDT, John Camacho 10 QB-FS, Hakeem Culwell 10, Wilfredo Cruz 10, Francisco Flores 10, Arthur Milton 10, James Souder 10 WR-CB, Johnny Allen 11, Jason Szymanski OT-DT, Alex Tecide, Hassan Williams.



Endurance is the competitive edge in the balance of knowing the game of football. Some of Barringer's finest plays were made by Matthew Dougherty, Jermaine Sharp, Terrill Roberson, and Michael Owens. These men made the sport gritty and exciting. The positive events of the game were stimulated by Michael Owens, and Jermaine Sharp. They received a trophy for their wondrous deeds.

Newcomers are always in-

spired by the graduating players. These experienced "pros" breathe hope, to the young players on the team. Coach Benetez, Head Coach Rodriguez and Co-coach Ferrero, (pictured right) try to install discipline in them, while teaching the skills needed. Not pictured is Coach Butts who also coaches wrestling, a sport which develops the strength, speed, and thinking skills needed in football.



Outdoor Track



The grit of the game is when we triumph at a win. The graceful acrobats endure hurdles and force the task to completion. Many newcomers who participated have affected the way we will view this ancient Grecian activity.

This year many Barringer runners, like Chantel Wallace, had the opportunity to wear the most effective running shoe. Nike, the Greek goddess of victory. It's no wonder that our school did better this year.

When we look to the future it means seeing other students participate and continue to win, and score for our school. One track hopeful is John Camacho the entire team has high hopes for him, in 1993, because he has shown potential during the season.

The track team practiced at the local stadium, where, many other Newark schools also ran. The home track meets were usually held on the week-

ends.

For the last few years we have watched Mustafa Ojibara and Dorian Webb display their talents of cross training. These two athletes have really done well in their selected sports. The student body commends them on their ability and skill.

The outdoor track team consists of Top Row: Vernon Crook, Dorian Webb, Terrance Minor, Domininc Manning, Anthony Manning, Anthony Marcus, and Mustafa Ojibara. Middle Row: Charlette Barette, Last Row: John Camacho, Leonardo Willis, and Inabel Diaz.

Proving yourself is the real meaning of track. Unlike many sports the individual ability is on display for all to see. If you have ever taken part in the many running activities, you understand that this sport leaves you physically drained.





"Track to me was a challenge. It was not only great to participate in, but also exciting to meet many students from other schools." Mustafa Ojibara.

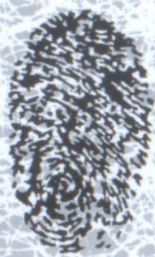
"It was a difficult season for us. I'm just glad that I had the chance to run." Dorian Webb.

These pictures display the stressed bodies of the competing athletes. One of the most beautiful visions to watch is the track team going for the Gold, Silver or Bronze.

"I am glad so many students participate. They always strive to do their best. With every sport they try to be winners. Our students take their track skills to the max." Regina Wright.
This difficult year has made the track standards appear higher than ever, and it was exciting to attend all of the meets.



Girls' Basketball



An exciting, involving, skillful activity that revolves around a player and her teammates. The girls basketball team consists of, Bottom row: Rosa Apenas, Rivelina Roy, Paula Irving, Kim Outen, Brenda Tavares, and Shamika McKinnon. Middle Row: Tomika Youngblood, Barbara Garcia, Teal Douglas, Christie Williams, Lee Riveria, Carolyn Perez, Coach Joe Simon, and Co-Coach Gene Clotier. Players not pictured: Felicia Jamison, and Rosie Sanchez.

As the season lengthened, the desire for victories escalated, breeding aggressive players. Barringer has never seen such unusually spirited high school students since 71. The team suffered many disappointments by losing one of it's star players Carolyn Perez to a finger injury. But Christie Williams took up the slack and

contributed to the quality of plays.

The team emerged at the end of the season with a three spectacular wins. They deserve more praise than they've received. We should commend the team for their determination and the coaches expertise.

In 1972 Barringer played every High School in Newark. In 1992 the league changed drastically and we are now in a different category, Group IV. It's not a matter of where you play, it's the experience they have at the game.

The Football team has been preparing to play suburban schools since 1990. The ability will become more visable in future years, we can predict our school soon participating in some of the closest games ever.



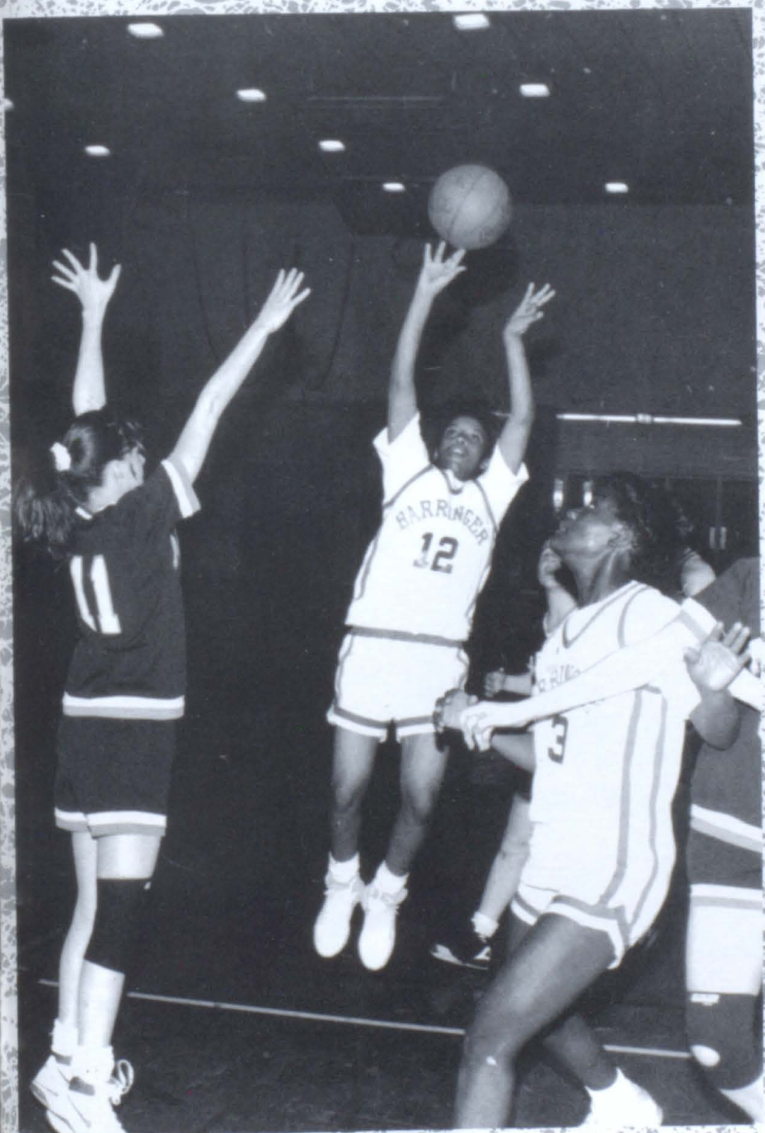
While oldtimers dominate the game of basketball, beware of Caroline Perez, Lee Rivera, and Barbara Garcia. The future will demonstrate survival and improvement of this team.

Paula Irving, senior: "It was a good season, but I didn't get to score as much as I would have liked to."

Senior Christie Williams, who has sparkled in the three years that she has played, brightened the team's enthusiasm with her skills and grace. Given the possibility of progressing to a higher level in basketball, Christie will prove an asset to any team she plays for. Former Co-Coach Kim Grant expressed hope that Christie will continue playing basketball at N.J.I.T.

Most people will never see the agony and the triumphs of going through a game.

When Christie Williams and Lee Rivera worked on their defensive plays, it took skill to be able to listen and follow the direction of both coach and peers. Revlina Roy enlightened many practices with a sense of personality that made working as a team seem like a different approach to education. Coach Simons is presently working on a new program that will pull the team on to higher stature. Coach Simons stated, "This year is one step to bringing a new idea to young ladies basketball. I'd like to see more things happen for Barringer. To many of the seniors who do graduate, let's hope they do not forget the school they attended or the fact that they were living in history." It was a fair year for girls basketball.



Basketball '92

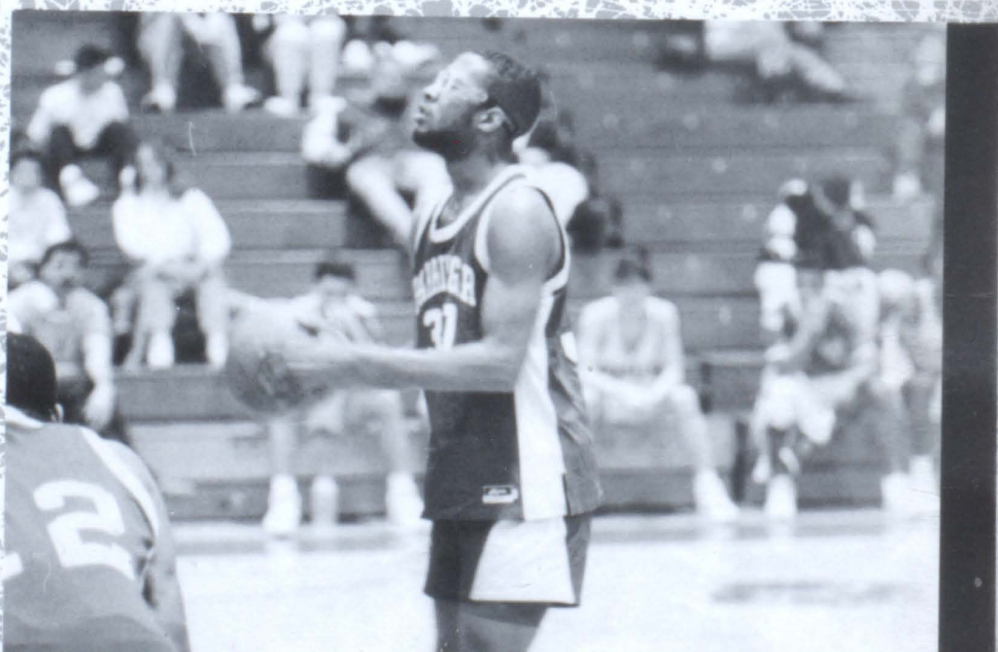


This year's boy's basketball season was exciting!!! The team performed with such intensity that many of the spectators were left on the edge of their seats. The varsity roster consists of: Marlo Brown, Damon Cannon, Hakiem Colwell, Anthony Dozier, Marcus Koonce, James Moore, Rajahn Mikinnon, Karriem White, Lamont Williams, Rashone Duncan.

With the loss of 6 seniors, who graduate in June, the team will be facing an important rebuilding task. However, this year's junior varsity is really shaping up. Hopefully the coach can train them

as well as the graduating seniors. Coach Lucas "believes we have the opportunity to maintain a good group. I will miss the seniors."

The young men performed to their peak. If you muted out all the noise you would see a graceful energetic sport. Damon Cannon, for example, far more nimble than a dancer, spins with height and flexibility as a standout on his team. If you ever saw Hakiem Colwell then you would realize that he was far more fluid in his movements than anyone expected, especially- the competition.





The true meaning of victory is that crushing feeling that comes from knowing you've accomplished your goal. That triumph in an important game will be retained in your memory for the rest of your life.

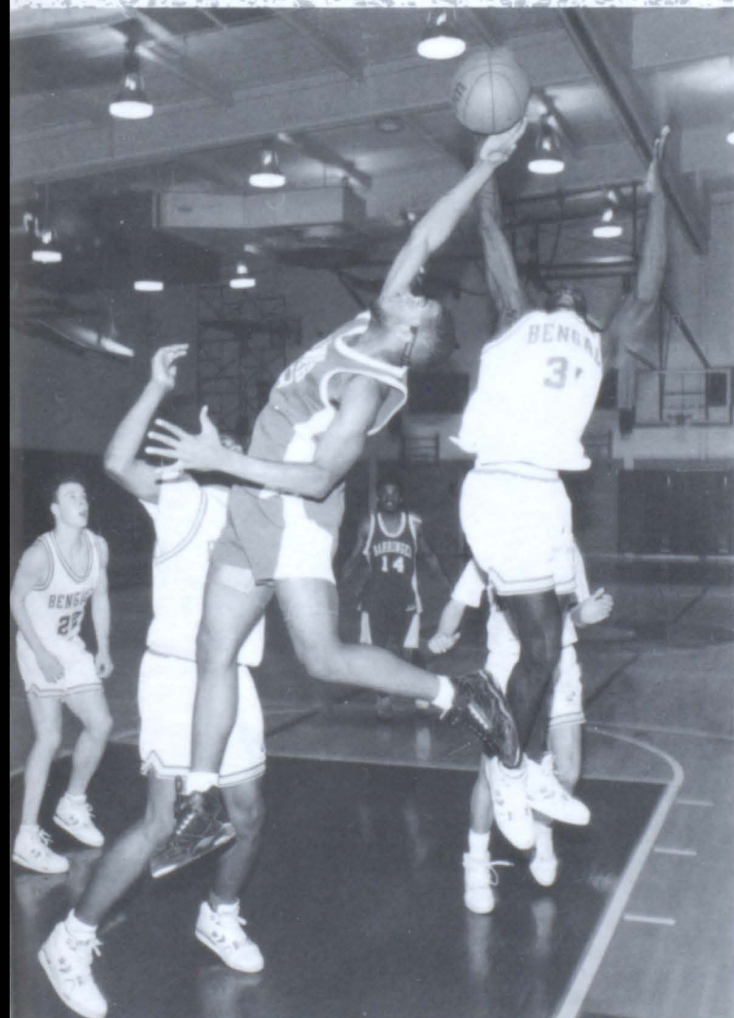
Congratulations to the basketball team for beating Bosco Prep, 65-64. Lamont Williams, Damon Cannon, Marcus Koonce, Karriem White, Hakiem Colwell, Anthony Dozier, we acclaim your contributions in this, and other victories.

Lamont Williams stated, "I was proud to be a part of the games I played."

We as a school face the difficulty between athletics and

grades. The Basketball team played well, but, many students who had the ability for outstanding play, did not have the grades.

Since 1990, Bell telephone has offered a program to any athlete who showed potential in basketball. Along with being successful in their sport, they had to maintain a G.P.A of 2.8 or higher. This plan offered the opportunity for athletes to get S.A.T prep lessons. What was even more helpful was that the college placement helped confused athletes select a college to attend. This program was designed to help anyone make decisions on their future.



Wrestling team '92



For the past few years we watched that senior, Mustafa Ojibara, become a super athlete. It was great to see him participate in a multitude of sports including wrestling.

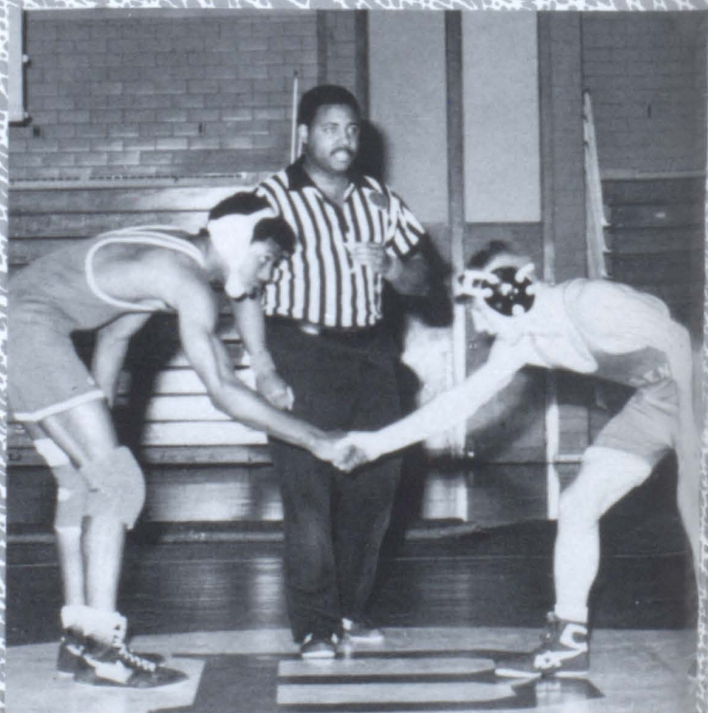
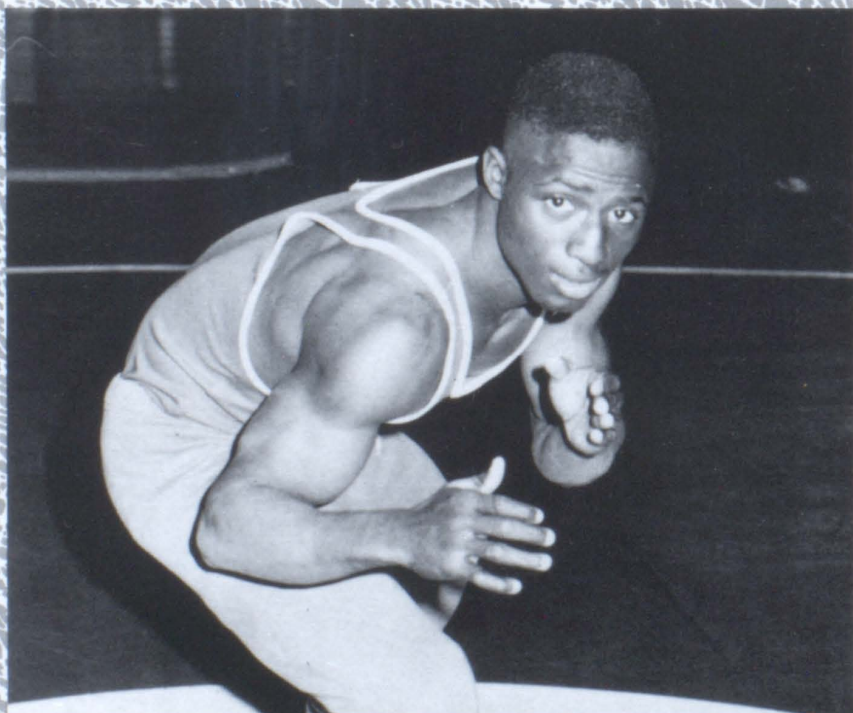
There's nothing more shocking than watching one of your classmates smash the opponents face into the mat, then lose the match. The frustration and exertion that a wrestler must expel makes this a true spectator sport.

The one senior on the team this season grew into a super all around athlete. Wrestling was only one of the sports Mustafa Ojibara excelled in this year. The wrestling team consists of: Top Left: James Dixon, Tramaine Allen, Nelson Garlarza, Herbert Donaldson, Carlos Cardona, Noel Mendez, Juilo Monroy, Wilferdo Figureroa. Bottom Left: Otto Monroy, Tyrone Ellison, William Warren, Richard

Weed, Mustafa Ojibara, Coach Bruce Butts, and not pictured, Mr. Pander.

With only one senior on the team, Coach Butts is looking forward to next season. He will then field a team that has been rebuilt from the ground up. Wrestlers like Otto Monroy and Tyrone Ellison have the ability to keep wrestling on the move. And the skill of teaching will be on the head coach Bruce Butts. His chore will start with keeping the team on the prowl and ready to brace themselves for next year.

We thank Mr. Raymond David Tse for contributing to our new weight room. This room will make our wrestlers bigger and stronger, as well as give our school the advantage that we need to compete with other schools.



Bowling '92



Bowling generally has one of two effects on the viewer. One can view the sport as a fast paced nailbiting event, or as a contest in sheer boredom.

The 1992 bowling team consists of: Top Row, Jason Szymanski, Coach Grant, Christian Pett. Bottom: Fransico Santiago, Michelle Hernandez, and Ronnie Dublin. Not pictured, Kathy Caldwell, Celeste Ferguson, Alice Fester, Jaqueline Horton, Edshond Stokes, Edwin

Siliva, Latonya Witherspoon, and Raphael Torres.

Part of the bowling mystique is of course the total bowling environment. Once your shoes are traded in for bowling shoes, this act in itself prepares the player for the bowling experience. Ronnie Dublin "Theres nothing more invigorating than being transformed into a bowler. Once you put on your shoes whos to tell you otherwise."

Indoor Track

This is the first time in three years that the yearbook was fortunate to catch up to the track team for a photo.

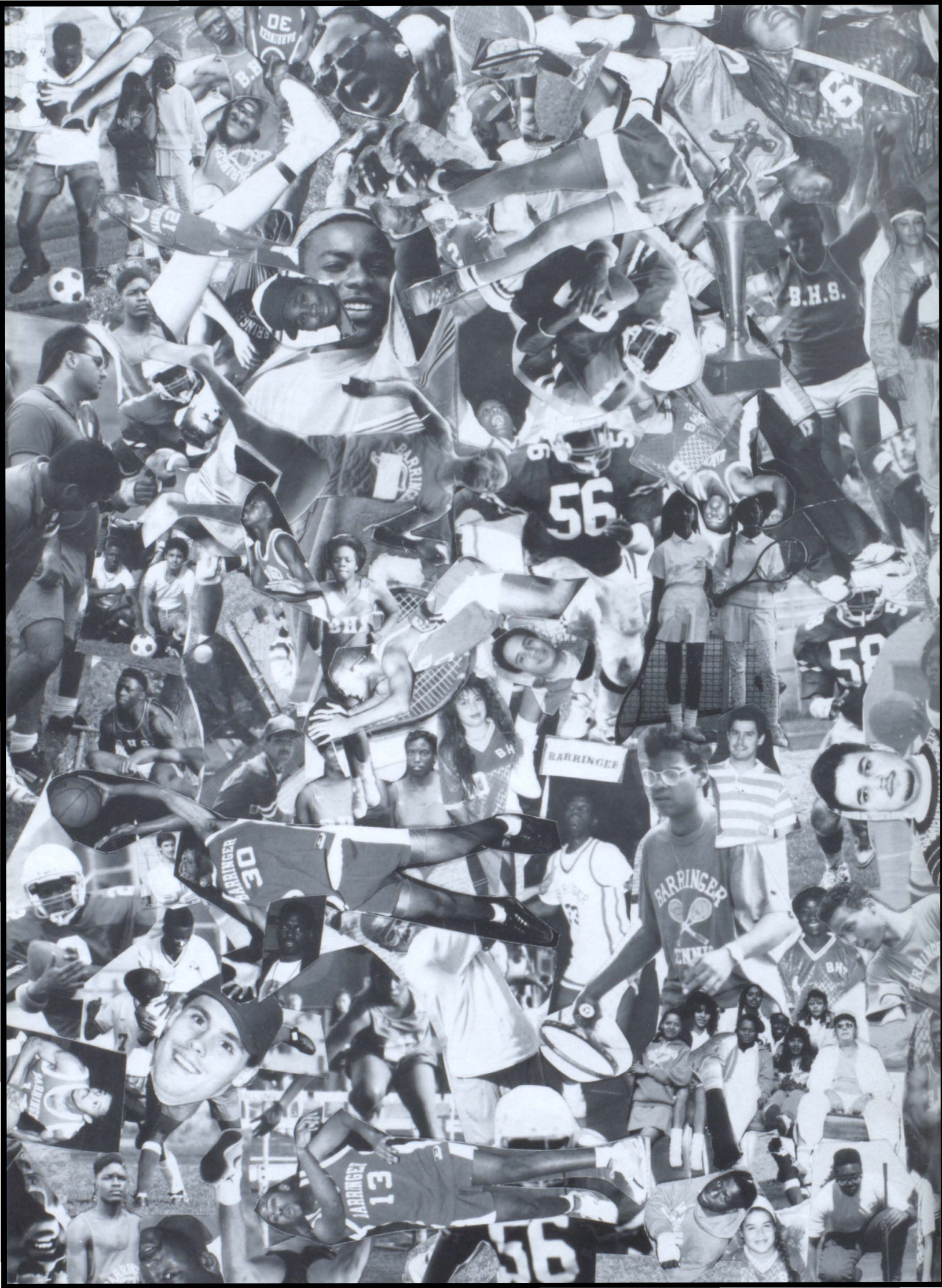
Right to left: Jacinto Alayon Jason Givondu, Juan Aponte. Bottom, Billy Tompson, Andre Swell, Lakeeha Williamson. Not Pictured boy's coach Earl Rodgers, girl's coach Regina Wright, and assistant Ed Brown.

Explosive, gripping, and gut wrenching is a meaningful description of competing at indoor track. Endurance is the key to not getting cut from

the team.

Bright lights: Jacinto Alylon and Jaun Aponte made track become a part of the bump and grind of everyday activity. These minute marks of athletic perfection can only hint to what is in store for them in the future. Lakeeha Williamson will have the chance to show her physical strength for next years competition. Coach Regina Wright feels that this year has been the most successful in uncovering competent athletes.







Sport's Memories '92

As we leave Barringer High School, athletes will remember the sport they played, and the good times they had. Their achievements will be immortalized as a permanent key to their past. So now let's read the quotes from outstanding 1992 Barringer athletes.

Dorian Webb: "1991-92 was good but, 92-93 is going to be the best. Good luck to all my friends who graduate on the football team".

Jason Syzmanski: "It was a great year for sports."

Christie Williams: "I hope our three wins will motivate next years basketball players to be the best."

Paula Irving: "I wish I had made more points this season, but I'm also happy we won some games."

Jennifer Worthen: "Chandra Shanker, I hope you enjoy the wonderful sport of tennis."

Jacinto Allayon: "I had fun this year. I hope our future athletes realize the satisfaction of competition."

Dominic Tirado: "I enjoyed playing football because the coaches taught us so much. I only wish we had a few more victories to our credit."

Ronnie Dublin: "It was a fun to participate in bowling. I hope it will be as satisfying next year."

Erika Ruelas: "I liked the sport I participated in. It was great to be a part of a team. I made a lot of friends, and I learned a great sport called tennis."

Juan Aponte: "My fondest memory is the track meet where I placed first. The competition was between Pasic and Bloomfield. Its great to win."

Coach Kim Grant: "It's been a thrill working with the best of Barringer tennis teams ever-and a pleasure knowing some of the finest young people I've ever met."

Jennifer Worthen: "It was beyond great to be captain of the tennis team. I have never met so many nice people, who are sincere and genuine toward their goals. Thank you team and Coach Grant. You guy's are fabulous!!!"

Chris Petts: "What can I say about a sport that I have grown to enjoy."

Sulton Alley: "I think I like to be a winner, and frankly, I hope that our team can enjoy it. Thank you coach, your brilliance made the team successful."

Matthew Daugherty: "Football was a really happening sport. I will have many fond memories of Barringer."

Michelle Hernandez: "Volleyball was an action packed sport. I hope future teams will love it as much as I did."

Shiva Ameri: "The tennis team will not be the same with out my friends. I hope they have a successful life."

Mr. & Mrs. Ralph Salzano: "Good Luck to the Barringer athletes may they have a good future."

Deneia Williamson: "To Roderick Johnson, you had the best body on the football team."

Juanita Zerbian: "I hope all the fine athletes who played a sport will have a happy, productive future."

La wanda Godfry: "Terrel Robinson you have nice legs."

For every game we won or lost, we had the ability to follow directions and play a good game. The tour-de-forse we had working as a team made everything seem alive. Another thanks to all the coaches who were spontaneously helpful.

It has been an exciting year for the sports section. We were able to meet with many of the different coaches and get feedback from the athletes.

This was probably the most exciting year for the school in sports. We saw how the weight room will change the way we view our players, and how the new football coaches make Barringer history.

The girl's basketball team helped enrich the school year 1992, by winning a sufficient number of games.

1992 will be remembered as a year of determination, and proving ones selfworth. Any senior who has not had the total opportunity to be a part of a sports team has definitely missed out on an important high school experience.-Sports Section 92'

There are many ways for you to be always active in the sport you love: You can become a sports major in college; graduate as a professional trainer; or study sports medicine, which enables you to associate yourself with many professional sports. Participating in one of these professions will give you the opportunity to continue in your game, and you get paid well too. Many of the branches for careers associated to sports have solid futures.

Best of luck to the graduating class. May your career ventures be successful-can't wait 'til the first reunion.

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Azzolino 2-0-1-0-4, Burke 3-1-0-0-18, Rohrbachter 2-
(0)-0-4, Donnelly 5-0-1-5-15, Hoffman 1-0-1-0-2-4, Garotti 6-0-1-2-2,
Casey 5-1-1-2-15, Stancil 8-0-1-2-2, Totals: 18-0-13-44.

BARRINGER - 23
Garcia 1-1-1-1-4, Rivera 5-0-1-3-13, McKennon 0-0-1-0-0,
Williams 2-0-1-0-4, Dill 0-0-1-0-0, Outen 0-0-1-0-0, Irving 0-0-1-0-0,
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Andre Agassi plays it cool.

Holyfield set
to face Holmes
in June bou

The 1992 Year of Sports

In the year of 1991-92 we saw how the world of sports really effected us personally. When Magic Johnson and Arthur Ashe revealed their infection by the H.I.V virus. The country was numbed, the beloved Lakers star, would lose his position on the team. We also were fortunate to be able to see the 1992 Winter Olympics. New Jersey's own Donna Winebreht came in with the gold in freestyle skiing. However, the U.S hockey team was not as fortunate. After crushing many teams their endurance faltered and, the poise of goalie Peter La Blank, who saved many of the rib crushing pucks to the face, began to wither. But, the worst thing that happened to the team was the tie to Finland which hindered them from the kill. Then everything went down hill when they lost to the former U.S.S.R. 2-4.

On behalf of Barringer High, we commend every Olympic man and woman who made watching them on television a spectacular event for us student athletes. It allowed us to be immersed into a wonderful world of death defying feats. We can compare the international friendships to those we had made, during the sport we had participated in during the school year.

In the Football scene Super Bowl 92' was the slowest ever. It was quite certain, that the Buffalo Bills did not have a chance against the Washington Redskins. Many viewers commented that it was one of the most obvious games to predict. You could even say it was boring.

The fad of watching W.W.F wrestling faded out. Many of the highly published wrestlers were exposed for abusing steroids. Super Star Billy Graham, Hulk Hogan, and many others were accused of falsifying documents to get these drugs. Even though many wrestlers and body builders take the drugs, knowing the risks, they seek sympathy when they find that they are going to die in the near future.

One important discovery in steroid abuse was the brain damage it caused to the central blood vessels and nervous system. An unbelievable fifty-five percent showed symptoms of brain damage. The total effect of the drug is still unknown.

Fashion in sports. *We may not have realized the trend*

that we had followed, by wearing sporty athletic sneakers and clothes.

Fashion always has a way of presenting modern style every year in sports. In 1962, swimwear had a bulky underwear look. Now, in 1992, slick and colorful fashion has made a change for the better, with many of the sporty designs coming from Speedo. Their hip and happening style of swimwear made swimmers aware of their skivvies.

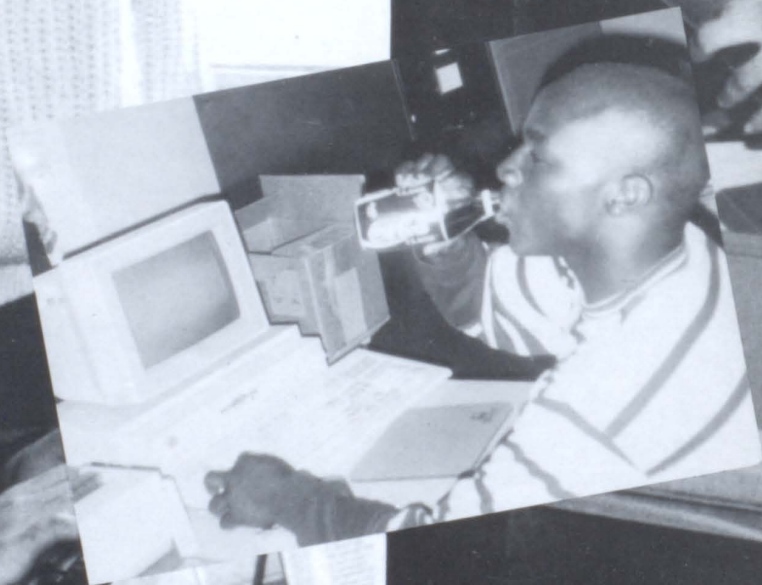
The classic white sweater really came from traditional tennis garb. And the high top converse were really meant for swimming shoes during the early 1930's.

But the most popular garment we might have worn were the stadium coats. They were really designed to keep the football players from muscle fatigue and help identify the team. Eventually, many and more people inquired about them. Then a fad arose a frenzy of sports fans sought them, hence making them popular, for everyone.

As spring begins, so does competitive tennis, the season has never been more high-tech and popular than the year 1992. The tennis wear by Diadora and Nike remained posh for all who took part in the fashionable aspect of the game, while hardworking athletes such as Monica Seles and Jennifer Capriatti worked to obtain a degree of perfection. Other stars who have returned to tennis are John MacEnroe and Bjorn Borg.

The enchanting world of basketball has never seen so many tall healthy, aggressive professional stars. Michael Jordan, and the great Larry Bird will remain as positive influences to what potential the future teams could be. This was the year to record the magic of sports which, made the year of 1992 come alive.

Even though soccer is not a popular sport to many Americans, most of Europe finds it very popular. In 1992 a playoff between Germany and England created turmoil. By the end of the game England lost their 18 point lead to Germany. The loss triggered riots in which, many disappointed spectators threw bottles into the field. Then they poured out of the stadium bashing every German object in sight.





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Let Your fingers do the walking

NAME, ADDRESS, D.O.B., ZODIAC, NICKNAME, PHONE, AMBITIONS, ACTIVITIES, FONDEST MEMORY, FAVORITE SAYING, SPECIAL WISHES, ETC.

Fausto Abreu ... 197 Sussex Ave ... 5-15-74 ... Taurus ... Danny ... 485-0962 ... Music School ... Art Class ... "Enjoy yourself."

Silenni Abreu ... 241 No. 5th St ... 12-18-73 ... Sagittarius ... Chily ... 484-7125 ... Seton Hall for Civil Engineer ... My best friends Sandra, Denny, Sory, Lizy, Nancy ... "Que Pasa" ... Good Luck ... Thanks Mrs. Buro, Mrs. Candelario, Mrs. Millan, Mr. Rivera.

Jacinto Alayon ... 38 May St ... 11-29-73 ... Sagittarius ... Cano ... 483-7712 ... Rutgers University ... Cross Country, Track ... Taking part in the Senior Poster ... "Que pasa loco?" ... Have a successful year and best of luck in the future.

Sultan Ally Jr ... 405 N.5th St ... 5-1-73 ... Taurus ... 483-7891 ... Emble Riddle Aeronautical School to become a pilot ... NJIT Upward Bound, Tennis Team ... Cutting class and escaping from the guards ... "Once bitten twice shy baby" ... Best Wishes ... Only cute girls can use my phone number.

Juan Aponte ... 20 Newark St ... 6-22-73 ... Cancer ... Joe ... 622-5223 ... Montclair State ... Track ... Winning the three mile run in only 16:57 ... "You can lead a horse to water but you can't make him drink it" ... Study hard and stay in school.

Jose Arroyo ... 141 Wakeman Ave ... 10-11-73 ... Libra ... Joe ... Kean College for accounting ... "Come on, man" ... Hope everyone graduates.

Juan M. Aviles ... 545 N.5th St ... 4-12-73 ... 481-5446 ... Own a mechanic shop ... Pizza delivery boy ... False fire drills and Ms. Fajardo's class ... School's tough but it pays off well.

Tammy Basketville ... 6 Hinsdale Place ... 11-28-74 ... Sagittarius ...

Sweetie ... 484-3120 ... Virginia State College for Nursing ... Chorus ... My homeroom teacher ... "Is it still homeroom?" ... Good Luck class of 93.

Teenella Heyward-Bey ... 298 So. 9th St ... 2-20-74 ... Pisces ... Nella ... 242-6798 ... Seton Hall for Attorney Law ... Track ... Meeting my best friends ... "What's up with That?" ... Good Luck ... Have fun your senior year.

Antonio Bodison ... 33 1/2 5th St ... 2-28-74 ... Pisces ... Tony ... Seeing Mrs. Grove everyday ... "Yeah, Alright" ... Good Luck and don't drop out ... See you in the future.

Luis Borges ... 770 Mt. Prospect Ave ...



8-30-72 ... Virgo ... Iran ... Essex County College ... My friends calling me "Cuba" ... Yeah, right ... Juan Rodriguez, I'll see you when I'm a lawyer.

Lynnette Brackett ... 44 11th Ave ... 8-23-74 ... Leo ... Nettie ... 824-4178 ... Navy ... Chorus, Drama/Speech Team, Student Council, Senior Class Committee ... "Hey, What's Up?" ... Good Luck.

Rashana Brown ... 159 James St ... 5-7-74 ... Taurus ... Pookie ... 624-3307 ... Hampton University ... Graduation Day and last day of school ... "Go head

wit dat" ... Stay with it and keep trying cause you'll be out soon ... Thanks to all who helped me.

Robin Brown ... 232 N.7th St ... 5-7-73 ... Taurus ... Rob ... 677-0882 ... Wilfred Academy ... Mrs. Macky's class ... "Praise the Lord" ... Just hang in there.

Elizabeth Camacho ... 338 Summer Ave ... 3-19-74 ... Pisces ... Icabe ... Soft Ball ... Barringers' cat fights ... "Ho" ... Good luck and don't cut class ... Thanks to my family and friends who stood by me.

Iris Caraballo ... 178 Thomas St ... 9-5-72 ... Virgo ... Betsy ... "What's Up?" ... I hope they make it all the way.

"The heart of a fool is in his mouth, but the mouth of a wise man is in his heart"

Evelyn Carmona ... 766 Broadway ... 7-30-73 ... Leo ... Evie ... 678-4067 ... Essex County College ... The teachers and the work they gave ... "Life will go on!" ... May all of your wishes come true.

David Castro ... 136 Delavan Ave ... 9-8-75 ... Virgo ... Bird ... 481-9553 ... Navy ... Chester Ave. Posse ... Being arrested for having a BB gun in school ... "Will somebody hook me up with a pen, pencil or crayon?" ... Don't share your lockers with girls.

Richardo Castro ... 146 Highland Ave ...

5-16-73 ... Taurus ... Ricky ...
450-4270 ... Upsala College for Com-
puter Science ... Baseball, Bowling ...
Bugging out with the guys on the baseball
team ... "Yeah Alright" ... Good Luck.

Shalise Chambers ... 16 Grafton Ave ...
7-26-74 ... Leo ... Sha-Sha ... 484-7338
... Trenton State ... Chorus ... Cutting
class and leaving early ... "Come on now"
... Don't mess up in your Junior year.

Sherry L. Cooper ... 275 N. 5th St ... 6-
19-74 ... Gemini ... Toots ... 483-5995
... Virginia State University for Business
Management ... Senior Class Committe,
Upward Bound ... My sophomore year ...
"Whatever!" ... I'm glad I'm not you be-
cause it's getting harder and harder ...
Thanks to Aunt Loretta and Frances.

Sonia Iris Cordero ... 178 Parker St ...
5-14-74 ... Taurus ... 484-7893 ... Busi-
ness Management ... Meeting my hus-
band Robert and having his child ... Wish
you lots of success ... Thanks Carlos Torres
for all your great advice.

Tomika L. Crook ... 33 1/2 N. 5th St ...



"Never mistake
knowledge for
wisdom. One
helps you make a
living, the other
helps you make a
life."

Sandra Carey



"Promises may get
friends, but it's
performance that
keeps them."

1-4-73 ... Capricorn ... Meeka ... Geor-
gia Court for Business ... Barringers' staff
and fellow students ... "I can't wait" ...
Good Luck ... Wish my friends the best
of luck.

Vernon D. Crook ... 33 1/2 N. 5th St ...
1-1-74 ... Capricorn ... Vern ... 485-
9511 ... Bloomfield Business School ...
Pep Ralleys ... "Yeah Alright" ... Good
Luck and stay in school ... See ya.

Brunilda Cruz ... 143 Wakeman Ave ...
10-22-73 ... Libra ... Bruny ... 485-5652
... Montclair State College ... Smoking
in the girls room ... "Scared of you, Ha
Ha" ... Good Luck.

Margie Cummings ... 321 Mt. Prospect
Ave ... 3-12-74 ... Pisces ... Rasheedah
... 484-3579 ... Senton Hall for Pre- Law
... Teen parenting ... Mrs. Meravi ...
"Don't start none, won't be none" ... Hang
in there and don't give up.

Shalonda Curry ... 77 So. 14th St ... 2-
26-74 ... Pisces ... La-La ... 483-4653
... Rutgers University ... Future Business
Leaders of America ... Hanging in the
hallways ... Hope you all stay back.

Elvira Cuzcano ... 186 Lincoln Ave ...
2-16-74 ... Aquarius ... 481-6388 ...
1991 Close Up ... "Everything is gonna
be alright" ... Try to do the best in order
to be the best ... I'm happy to belong to
the class of "92".

Anthony C. Davis ... 31 So. 12th St ...
1-14-73 ... Capricorn ... Ant ... 375-
7714 ... Navy ... Senior Class Commit-
tee ... The people ... "What up?" ...
Stay dedicated, stay faithful, and don't
make any kids.

David Davis ... 422 Summer Ave ... 3-
31-73 ... Aries ... Dave ... 482-5378 ...
Engineering ... Baseball ... Girls ...
"What's Up?" ... Keep up the good work
... Don't fall for any SH.

Kenneth Davis ... 63 N. 5th St ... 7-18-
73 ... Cancer ... Fat boy ... University
of the Arts ... Chorus, Speech/Drama
Team ... Harvard "91" ... "Tow Down"
... I love you Mrs. Baskerville and Mrs.
Herring.

Maria DeJesus ... 146 Lincon Ave ... 9-
12-74 ... Virgo ... EG ... 482-6508 ...
Kathrine Gibbs ... Beta Club ... Cat fights
... "SH!" ... Don't drop out ... Thanks
to my parents, teachers, and friends that
stuck by me throughout the years.

Federico Diaz ... 95 Parker St ... 10-1-
74 ... Libra ... Chuby ... 483-1997 ...
Aspira and Bilingual Culture ... I brang
a wig to one of my bald headed teachers
... "Puneta los Boricuas se respetan!" ...
Thanks Mr. Rivera, and Mrs. Buro.



"They who go,
feel not the pain of
parting; it is they
who stay behind
that suffer."
Michaelangelo

Felicia M. Fair ... 175 First St ... 6-19-74 ... Gemini ... Fe ... 483-5272 ... Rutgers University ... Student council ... Fire drills ... "You down wit OPP?" ... Have fun, your only a senior once, or twice.

Trina L. Flood ... 195 First St ... 11-12-73 ... Scorpio ... 482-2894 ... Air Force ... Teen Club, Chorus, and Explorers ... Moments spent with the girls ... "You crazy as hell" ... Do your best and don't settle for less ... Good Luck.

Jacqueline Flores ... 780 Broadway ... 6-30-75 ... Rutgers for teaching ... Junior year and all my friends ... "What you do to me I'll do it back but worst" ... May all your dreams come true ... May the class of "92" succeed in life.

Monica Flowers ... 244 Richelieu Terr ... 1-19-73 ... Capicorn ... 416-2599 ... FDU ... Attending Infant Toddler Center ... Sophomore year ... "Back it up buddy!" ... Work hard and have fun cause your last year is your best year.

Shalazar French ... 1915 McCarter Hwy ... 12-9-74 ... Sagitarius ... Dimples ... 485-2572 ... Montclair State ... Student Council ... cutting class ... "You say that to say what!" ... Best of luck ... Best Friends are Teenella, Gayla, Dee, ect.

"Hold your head high, stick your chest out. You can make it. It gets dark sometimes but the morning comes. Suffering

Yajaira J. Gaetan ... 798 Mt. Prospect Ave ... 6-10-73 ... Gemini ... Yari ... 485-8976 ... Jersey City State for nursing ... The guys ... "Why you flipping?" ... Try to get the hell out of this school ... Thanks to Anna, Mary, and Israel.

Marisol Garcia ... 16 Grafton Ave ... 5-9-73 ... Taurus ... 483-4475 ... Seton Hall for pre-law ... Barringer Infant Toddler Center ... "Mind your business" ... Good Luck ... Thank you Barringers' In-

fant Toddler Center ... I would have never made it without you.

Maria T. Garrido ... 45 Park Ave ... 12-22-73 ... Capricorn ... Tery ... Montclair State ... Cheerleader, Yearbook Staff, Booster Club ... Meeting new people ... "Dreams come true to those who work for it" ... Good Luck in the future ... Have fun in the senior prom.

Mary R. Giordano ... 87 1/2 Stone St ... 9-17-74 ... Virgo ... Big Bird ... 483-5076 ... Katherine Gibbs ... Computer Club, Softball Team ... Being chosen M.V.P. for soft ball ... "Get out the Grey Pou Pon" ... Stay in school ... Thank you Angel, Wanda, Mom, and Dad.

Steven Gist ... 380 Mt. Prospect Ave ... 4-25-74 ... Taurus ... Young Steve ... 399-7870 ... Business ... My girl Michelle and all my friends ... "What's up cool?" ... Keep studying hard ... None what so ever, just glad I'm gone peace.

Angel M. Gonzalez ... 115 Delavan Ave ... 12-09-74 ... Sagitarius ... 483-7828 ... Accounting ... Graduating and the thrill of getting out ... "Yo! what up?" ... Nothing but good luck with O'Neal ... Hope the yearbook is worth the money.



Manuel Gonzalez ... 34 Mt. Prospect Ave ... 11-5-74 ... Scorpio ... June ... 483-0026 ... Rutgers University for Accounting ... Class trip, Physics class, and trip to Montclair State College ... "Run that" ... Best wishes for the class of "92" ... Thanks to my family for their support.

Margarita Gonzalez ... 1971 McCarter Hwy ... 7-14-71 ... Cancer ... Rita ... Cittone Business School ... Teachers and friends ... "Get out of my face" ... Good Luck.

Sandra Gonzalez ... 261 N. 5th St ... 2-9-74 ... Aquarius ... Chiquita ... 482-2270 ... Kean College for Computer technology ... "Study is the best way to resolve

your life" ... Hope they're able to pass the HSPT.

Tania Gonzalez ... 236 Woodside Ave ... 6-1-74 ... Gemini ... Ta-Ta ... 484-3375 ... Essex College ... Becoming nicer and smarter ... "Stay in school don't be a fool" ... Be the best you can be.

Tawana Green ... 1971 McCarter Hwy ... 2-12-74 ... Aquarius ... Tee ... Stockton State for social work ... French Club ... Senior Trip, and the day Jamal said hi to me ... "You see it!" ... May you leave Barringer with the best of memories ... Thanks to Ms. Lynn and the rest of my teachers.

Elton John Griffith ... 51 Clifton Ave ... 8-11-74 ... Leo ... 481-2322 ... Tennis Team, Math Club, Leaders of Tomorrow ... Fire Drills ... "Never say never" ... Hope they're successful ...

Shailkil Grisham ... 452 Union Ave ... 7-31-74 ... Leo ... Keil ... Montclair

State ... Senior Class Committee, Future Teachers ... Talent show ... "Homey don't play that" ... Reach for the top ... Best wishes and stay strong.

Roger Guerrero ... 524 Ridge St ... 8-

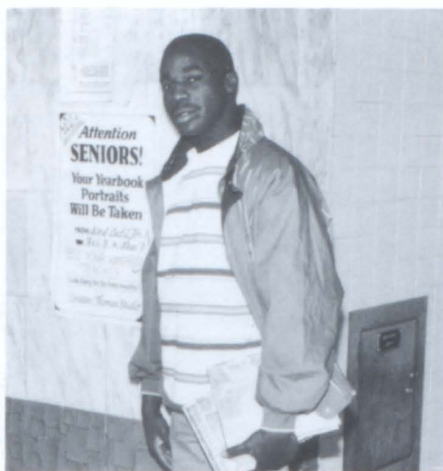
breeds character. Character breeds faith. So in the end faith will not disappoint."

Jesse Jackson

27-74 ... Virgo ... Rabbit ... 483-3911 ... Electrical Engineering ... Baseball and Football team ... fire drills ... "I say hello there" ... No class is better than the class of 92 ... Peace to all the fellas.

Wendy Guerrero ... 330 Mt. Prospect Ave ... 11-3-73 ... Scorpion ... Ely ... 481-4456 ... Kean College for Physical Therapist ... Studying will help you forever ... I'd like to know more in the future.

Mary Guzman ... 35 Norfolk St ... 3-18-74 ... Pisces ... Tear ... 484-7045 ... Temple University for Fashion Design ... Math Club, Yearbook Staff ... Putting on



"All the Constitution guarantees is the pursuit of happiness. You have to catch up with it by yourself."

Benjamin Franklin

the Hits ... "Anyway" ... Good Luck ... Best wishes class of 92 ... Yo I'm outta here.

Leah Haskins ... 92 Ellington St ... 4-14-74 ... Aries ... Lady L ... Seton Hall for Corporate Law ... Meeting Bobby Davis ... "What up" ... Best of Luck ...

Quamane Hawkins ... 214 Roseville Ave ... 1-5-73 ... Capricorn ... 481-0469 ... FDU for Business Technology ... Dancing ... Hanging Around the lockers ... "You buggin' out" ...

Rolando Hernandez ... 218 Bloomfield Ave ... 11-4-74 ... Scorpio ... Ro-Model ...

481-3406 ... Upsala for Law enforcement ... Baseball Team ... All my friends at Barringer ... "Damn, that's crazy" ... Hope they Graduate ... Be successful.

Abigail Hlongwa ... 25 Clifton Ave ... 9-15-73 ... Virgo ... Nonhlanhla ... 481-2645 ... Montclair State for nursing ... Drama Team ... "I love my family" ... Stay in school and be cool brothers and sisters.

Latanya Irving ... 181 James St ... 9-25-

74 ... Libra ... Tanya ... 242-5798 ... Essex County College for Computer Operator ... Teen Parenting Class ... Infant Toddler Center ... "Forget it" ... Good Luck ... See Ya.

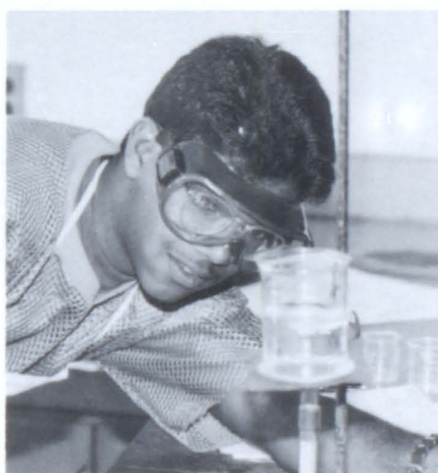
Paula Irving ... 151 Mt. Prospect Ave ... 9-4-73 ... Virgo ... Rutgers University for Business Administration ... Basketball, Softball ... Can't wait until graduation ... Have a successful year ... Best wishes to the class of 92.

Tonya Jackson ... 9 Myrtle Ave ... 12-3-73 ... Sagittarius ... Peaches ... 482-0844 ... Bethune Cookman College ... Speech Team, Student Council, Senior Class Committee ... Chatting with friends ... "Don't worry about a damn thing".

Danna Jones ... 291 So. 11th St ... 10-21-72 ... Libra ... Birthbutt ... 624-6154 ... FDU ... Life long friends ... "Get Outtie" ... Do your best ... To under classmen do your best in the following years.

Salih K. Jones ... 8 N. Hawthorne Lane ... 12-23-73 ... 483-4595 ... Track Team ... The Girls ... Have Fun ... Peace to all ya suckers.

Henry Lara ... 292 N. 5th St ... 5-28-74 ... Gemini ... Bobby ... 484-5672 ... NJIT ... "Sh!"



"Good judgement comes from experience and experience- well, that comes from poor judgement."

Anonymous

Chappella Lawton ... 159 Scheerer Ave ... 9-8-73 ... Virgo ... Purple ... FDU for Pre-law ... Basketball Team, Student Council ... Life long friends ... "You catching feelings" ... Do the right thing ... Barringer is the best H.S. in Newark.

Kenyan Lindsey ... 85 2nd St ... 11-17-74 ... Scorpio ... Linze ... 675-8585 ... Michigan University to be all I can be ... Getting chased by guards ... "I can't tell" ... Best wishes.

Maritza Lopez ... 117 Montclair Ave ... 5-25-74 ... Gemini ... 485-5029 ... Seton Hall University ... Senior Class Committee ... New friends I made at Barringer ... "No, I don't think so" ... Good luck.

Sandra Lopez ... 117 Montclair Ave ... 10-6-73 ... Libra ... Bee-Boop ... 485-5029 ... Rutgers University for Psychology ... Art ... Trip to Georgian Court College ... Try to succeed 'till the end.

Michelle Lozada ... 112 3rd Ave ... 11-22-74 ... Sagittarius ... Chelly ... 481-2285 ... Bergen County for Business Management ... Senior Class trip and Prom ... Hope Barringer doesn't get strict ... I love you mom and Ruthie, Sonia, and Carlos.

Keo Lumford ... 351 Broad St. 812-B ... 2-7-74 ... Aquarius ... Kaye ... 485-2389 ... Katherine Gibbs ... Being a part of H.R. 336 ... "Homey don't play that" ... May your senior year be the best.

Angela McLean ... 315 Osborne Terr ... 11-29-73 ... Sagittarius ... Angie ... To be an R.N., a good mom, and terrific wife ... Chilling in 7th period with Ms. Said ... "Yeah, right" ... Best of luck and success ... Hope everyone remembers the Class of 92 as the best.

Erika McPhatter ... 347 Park Ave ... 3-6-74 ... Pisces ... Scooby ... 484-5573 ... Rutgers University ... First day I entered Mr. Basile silly class ... "Get out of my face" ... Class of 93, have a boring and dead year ... Wish ya luck.

Roderica McPherson ... 223 N.7th St ... 5-14-74 ... Taurus ... Elayne ... 483-5341 ... William Paterson College for Accounting, have a successful career, and be a good mom ... Graduation ... Good luck.

Anthony Madison ... 84 Cedar Ave ... 9-4-74 ... Virgo ... Howard University ... Kickin' it to the girls ... "You chicken"



“... And in the sweetness of friendship let there be laughter and sharing of pleasures. For in the dew of little things the heart finds its morning and is refreshed.”

Kahlil Gibran

... Best of luck and have fun ... Peace to the TSP posse, Jay, Mike, Rob, Ant, Tel.

Maria Malave ... 195 Montclair Ave ... 9-5-74 ... Virgo ... Mari ... 484-3613 ... Police Officer ... Softball ... “It’s boring” ... Enjoy your last year ... See you later ... Good luck Class of 1993.

Kisha Manley ... 317-A Broadway ... 4-29-73 ... Taurus ... Keshawn ... 623-4545 ... Drama Club, Booster Club, Chorus ... Getting stage fright on “Puttin on the Hits” ... “You misunderstood” ... Don’t be a senior, be a Graduate.

Christopher Manning ... 191 N.13th St ... 9-22-73 ... Virgo ... Salty Dog ... 481-4422 ... Florida State for Computer programming ... Varsity football, Wrestling ... Peace.

Dario Marchena Jr ... 480 Clifton Ave ... 10-17-74 ... Libra ... Elvin ... F.D.U.

for Biology ... Cross Country, Swimming ... 6th period lunch with the homeboys ... “Skeeming got em!” ... When the tough get going, Barringer keeps rollin’.

Alfredo Marrero ... 3 Summer Pl ... 2-18-73 ... Drew University ... Three of the best years at Barringer ... “Your mother” ... Class of 93, good luck and looks ... Have a good future.

Jose Marrero ... 793 Broadway ... 5-2-74 ... Taurus ... Randy ... Rutgers University for Criminal Justice ... Football, Golf, Swimming, Bowling ... The Girls ... “Can’t tell me!” ... Get out soon.

Douglas Martinez ... 625 N.7th St ... 3-16-75 ... 483-3367 ... Kean College for Computer Technician ... “What’s up man?” ... I hope everybody graduates.

Reinaldo Martinez ... 124 Verona Ave ... 12-31-74 ... Capricorn ... Rambo ... 485-6753 ... Seton Hall for Engineering ... Baseball ... Every girl I met at Barringer ... “I’m outta here” ... If you think it’s easy, you’re wrong ... Congratulations Class of 1992.

Yesenia Martinez ... 751 Dr. M. L. King Blvd. #204 ... 6-5-74 ... Gemini ... Jessie ... Montclair State for Elementary teaching ... Tennis ... All the teachers that helped me ... “Hey baby, what’s up?” ... Goodluck ... I hope the class of 92 accomplishes their goals.

Nestor Mathews ... 351 N.7th St ... 2-26-74 ... Pisces ... Matt ... Navy Seals ... Aikido School Club in Elizabeth ... “Totally radical concept with babes from England” ... Don’t let anyone stand in your way ... Thanks to those teachers who gave me reason to believe in my dreams.

David Matos ... 424 Summer Ave ... 7-16-74 ... Cancer ... 483-7494 ... Glassboro State College ... “The strong will survive, the weak will die” ... Never quit, and keep a strong spirit.



Felicia Meeks ... 14 Oraton St ... 9-2-72 ... Virgo ... Fe-Fe ... 483-1647 ... William Paterson for Nursing ... Booster Club, Senior Class Committee ... “I can’t call it” ... Reach for the best.

“Smart is when you believe only half of what you hear. Brilliant is when you know which half to believe.”

Orbem’s Current Comedy



Elaine Meyer ... 173 Clifton Ave ... 4-2-74 ... Aries ... Minnie ... Law School ... Freinds ... “It’s not over ‘till it’s over” ... Get out of here quick ... Try your best and you will succeed.

Melissa Miller ... 49 2nd St ... 1-14-74 ... Capricorn ... 481-0908 ... Katherine Gibbs ... “Puttin’ on the Hits”, 1990 Pep Rally ... “Run dat” ... “I dogged you out” ... Good luck ... I’m audi 5000.

“Gratitude takes three forms: a feeling in the heart, an expression in words, and a giving in return.”



Ikema Mitchell ... 581 Hawthorne Ave ... 9-14-74 ... Virgo ... Hak ... 373-1382 ... Rutgers University for Veterinary Training ... Track and field, swimming, and eating ... "Puttin' on the Hits 90" ... "I'm hip 'Aki'" ... Get out while you can ... I'm audi 5000.

Jennifer Montalvo ... 56 Stone St ... 11-14-73 ... Scorpio ... Jenny ... 483-2511 ... X-Ray Technician ... Photography, Computers ... The year 1990 ... "I can't tell" ... This school's the best ... See ya.

Kelvin Montalvo ... 222 N.3rd St ... 8-29-73 ... Virgo ... Kel ... Seton Hall for Accounting ... The beautiful view at Branch Brook Park ... "Love you, too" ... Learn the most you can before it's too late ... May everyone's wishes come true for the Class of '92.

Tania Monterrosa ... 776 Mt. Prospect Ave. #2 ... 2-13-74 ... Aquarius ... Business Manager ... All my friends and the crew at the Infant Toddler Center ... Wish you the best of luck.

Tia Montigue ... 1915 McCarter Hwy ... 8-7-74 ... Leo ... 481-46?? ... Montclair State College for Accounting ... Senior Class Committee, Student Council ... Cafeteria food fights ... "You down wit O.P.P.?" ... Good luck to the class of 93 'cause you're going to need it ... Mr. O'Neil, you're doing a great job.

Arline Morales ... 342 Orange St ... 5-9-74 ... Taurus ... Rubia ... 678-8517 ... Air Force and Business Management ... Cutting 0 period class and being late ... "Hey Toto" ... Graduate, Please! ... Thank you God and my boyfriend for pushing me to graduate.

Jacqueline Morales ... 89 Mt. Prospect Ave ... 5-26-74 ... Gemini ... Jackie ... Trenton State University for Teaching ... Future Teachers of Newark ... Barringer Pep Rallies and football games ... "Yeah,

"Fortune lost, nothing lost; courage lost, much lost; honor lost, more lost; soul lost, all lost."

right" ... I wish you the best of luck ... Hang in there.

Harold Morlez III ... 83 West Allen St ... 2-26-72 ... Quan ... 375-6111 ... Computer Technician ... Getting chased by the guards ... "That's what your mouth said" ... The best to you ... Barringer is my heart and I will miss it here.

Ricky Morrison ... 80 Roseville Ave ... 10-4-73 ... Libra ... 482-1843 ... Carpenter ... The girls ... "Homey don't play that" ... Keep up the good work.

Teshana Moody ... 321 So.12th St ... 5-3-73 ... Taurus ... Tee ... Hard working woman ... Having Fun ... Class of 92 , partner Terri Johnson ... "Get off her" ... Don't give up ... The Class of '92 got it going on.



"God wisely designed the human body so that we can neither pat our own back nor kick ourselves too easily."

Anonymous

Marilyn Muniz ... 394 Hunterdon St ... 12-27-74 ... Capricorn ... Spike ... 622-0685 ... Penn State for Nursing ... Cheerleading my Sophomore year ... Football team losing every game ... "Hey babes" ... I wish the class of 93 changed their attitudes, especially the Sophomores ... Spike will always be in Nwk. and E.O.

Nancy Munoz ... 290 5th St ... 12-1-73 ... Sagittarius ... 483-2390 ... Glassboro State College.

Rupert Nathoo ... 310 Clifton Ave ... 12-23-74 ... Capricorn ... Little Lenny Ganja Boy ... 485-3847 ... N.J.I.T ... Cross Country, Track ... Cutting class to buy lunch ... "Chill baby, baby, chill" ... Good luck in your future ... Best wishes to all the teachers and students.

Benjamin Neives ... 92 Lincoln Ave ... 3-18-74 ... Pisces ... Benny ... 483-3866 ... Military ... Football ... Teachers making fun of you ... "Yup!Yup!" ... I hope you all make it ... Do the right thing.

Pedro Nieves ... 441 Mt. Prospect Ave ... 10-23-73 ... Scorpio ... Too Fast ... Seton Hall ... A sick school ... "I don't get it" ... Class of 93, I wish ya fail.

Carlos Noriega ... 577 N.6th St ... 2-21-74 ... Pisces ... Chino ... 485-0292 ... N.J.I.T. for Engineering ... Aspira Club ... Soccer 91-92 ... Good luck for everyone.

Angel Nunez ... 17 Hecker St ... 12-7-73 ... 484-5831 ... Montclair State College for Computer Technician ... Meeting new friends ... Work hard.

Mustafa Ojibara ... 175 1st St ... 7-31-73 ... Leo ... Jungle ... 372-6187 ... Tampa Fl. for Physical Therapist ... The colors Blue and White ... "You dumb Americans" ... Work hard at anything you do ... Be the best you all can be.

Aliya Onque ... 163 James St ... 9-21-73 ... Virgo ... Leah ... 242-1472 ... Rutgers University ... Talent shows, School colors, Teachers, and Prom ... "Here I go" Don't eat school lunch ... You're ready for the Apollo Doris R.

Cynthia Ortega ... 306 Woodside Ave ... 4-10-74 ... Aries ... Cindy ... Rutgers University for Business Management ... Our daily firebells and the girls bathroom ... Good luck to all ... Just graduate.



"If we are to keep our system secure and our society stable, we must all begin to work where all of us work best and that is in the communities where we all live."

Pope John XXIII

Michael Owens ... 893 Broadway ... 10-5-74 ... Libra ... Mike-Dog ... 484-4194 ... Seton Hall University for Secondary Education ... Football, Baseball, Track ... Prom and Graduation ... "I can't tell".

Lillian Padilla ... 316 Mt. Prospect Ave ... 6-9-74..Gemini ... Lil ... 312-6558 ... Bloomfield College for Pediatrics ... Softball, Student Council ... All high school teachers that helped me a lot ... "What's up?" ... Fulfill your dreams ... Thanks mom, Maria, and dad, Julio for your support.

Alma Pascual ... 691 Summer Ave. #6 ... 9-7-74 ... Virgo ... 484-7124 ... Fashion model ... Nice friends and teachers ... "Yeah, right" ... Wish you the best.

Richard Pascual ... 685 Summer Ave ...

11-17-74 ... Scorpio ... Rise ... 481-6731 ... Rutgers University ... Broad & Market Club ... Swinging with the fellas ... "What of it? G" ... Two bad the Class of 92 still got this ... Peace to all the fellas from the Ave. and B & M ... Peace to the familia.

Sory Pena ... 71 Summer Ave. #2 ... 10-20-73 ... Libra ... La Mufi ... 483-6669 ... Kean College ... Aspira ... My best friends Denny, Sandra, Silenny, and Elvira ... "You know" ... Good luck for everybody.

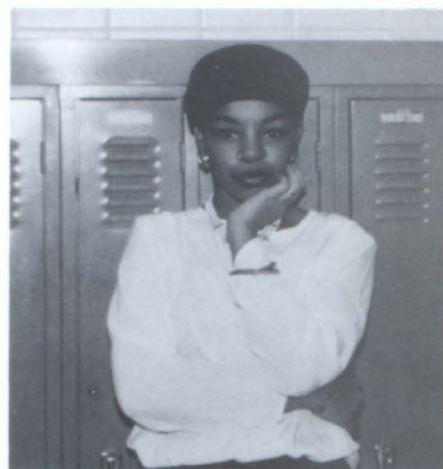
Carolyn Perez ... 141 2nd Ave ... 9-27-74 ... Libra ... Black Pearl ... 485-7069 ... Navy ... Barringer helped me keep studying ... Study is the best way to resolve your life ... Hope the class of 93 pass the HSPT.

Natalie Perez ... 197 N.7th St ... 9-19-74 ... Virgo ... Cha-Cha ... 484-7815 ... Culinary College ... Photography ... Koolin' with the posse ... "Private?" ... Don't mess up because the school sucks.

Ricardo Phang ... 375 Mt. Prospect Ave ... Leo ... Kevin ... Devry ... Reggae parties every weekend ... "The original front teeth" ... Work hard and you will succeed in life ... Nuff respect to all the Jamaicans.



"The reason people blame things on previous generations is that there's only one other choice."
Doug Larson



"Character is what you know you are, not what others think you are."

Marva Collins

Laureen T. Phipps..151 Parker St. #5 ... 8-20-74 ... Leo ... Laurie ... 268-1047 ... Seton Hall for Communications ... Yearbook, Newspaper, Senior Class Committee, Student Council, INROADS ... Prom and Graduation ... "I don't think so" ... "I don't know" ... It doesn't matter how high you fly, just as long as you make it to the top.

Phyllis Pierce ... 135 Schuyler Ave ... 10-18-74 ... Libra ... Philadeen ... 926-1119 ... F.D.U. for Accounting ... Drama Club ... Life long friends ... "Nigger what" ... Do your best and graduate on time ... Barringer High is a fine school.

Robert Perez ... 3 Summer Pl ... 7-13-73 ... Cancer ... Rob ... 483-1210 ... Stevens for Mechanical Engineering ... Track ... 1991 Prom and Sea Side Heights the day after ... Even though there's some Junior cuties, after we leave, Barringer's gonna be booty ... Thanks pop for all your support.

Ajunen Pillay ... 189 Highland Ave ... 2-21-73 ... Pisces ... Deso ... 481-4978 ... N.J.I.T. for Electrical engineering ... Football ... Being in Honor Roll three times in one year ... "Don't be alone, that's not a good feeling" ... The best of luck in life to come ... Best wishes to the teachers at B.H.S.

Nancy Pomaes ... 72 Summer Ave ... 1-27-74 ... Aquarius ... Taty ... Trenton State for Law ... Student Council ...



“Neither speak well or ill of yourself; if well, men will not believe you, if ill, they will believe a great deal more than you say.”

Freinds, teachers, and talking in the halls ... “Pay- back’s a ———” ... The best of luck ... Thanks to my parents, teachers, and friends for supporting me through school.

Myrna Ponce ... 68 Garside St. #2 ... 11-23-74 ... Sagitarius ... 482-4798 ... Rutgers University for Law ... Cheerleading, Swimming, Student Council ... Mr. Wagner for being there ... “There’s always tomorrow” ... Ms. Macky, cheerleaders, and my parents, thanks for making my senior year the best.

Yamly Quiles ... 37 Peck Ave #2 ... 6-12-73 ... Gemini ... Yama ... Rutgers for Business Administration ... “Puttin on the Hits” ... “Sounds kinda personal to me” ... Keep on going ... Thanks Mrs. Smith, sorry I disappointed you.

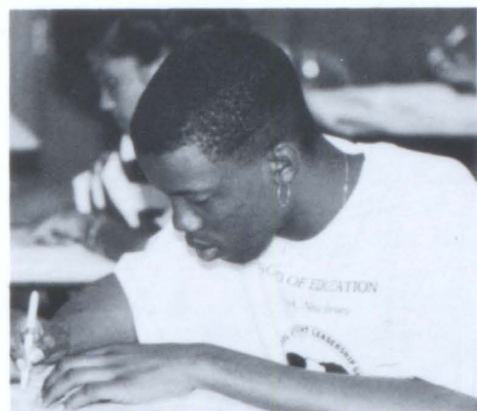
Jose Reyes ... 338 Summer Ave ... 4-30-73 ... Taurus ... Chucky ... 485-6435 ... Musician and Architectural Design ... Create music, draw, wrestling ... Pep Rallies and hanging with the fellas ... “Keep your eyes on the prize” ... Keep your goals alive ... See you for now, but I will be back.

Raul Reyes ... 312 Mt.Prospect Ave ... 4-2-74 ... Aries ... Blast ... 483-7617

... Monmouth College for FBI agent ... Yearbook Staff, Archives History Club ... All the friends I’ve met in this school ... “Word is bon-bon” ... “Carlos, leave me alone” ... Try to make it ... Yeah, I’m out of high school.

Angel Rivera ... 32 Taylor St ... 1-24-74 ... Aquarius ... 484-8190 ... Marine Officer and to marry Jasmine Cruz ... Marine Delayed Entry Program ... “Yo! What’s up?” ... Chill with my girl or I’ll be back for you.

Brenda Rivera ... 141 Park Ave ... 12-2-74 ... Sagitarius ... Teachers and friends that helped me ... Do the best you can to



“If you want us to stop marching, make justice a reality. I don’t mind saying ... I’m tired of marching for something that should’ve been mine at birth ... I don’t march because I like it. I march because I must.”

Martin Luther King, Jr.

graduate ... Best wishes to the Class of 1992.

William Rivera ... 299 Summer Ave ... 5-27-74 ... Gemini ... Willie ... 483-5861 ... Berkley College for Accounting ... School band ... Caught cutting class and writing on desks ... “What up G?” ... Don’t cut class cause it’s not good your senior year ... Trust me.

Yesenia Rivera ... 290 N.7th St ... 10-19-72 ... Libra ... Yesie ... 482-2195 ... Singing Career ... Sheena Easton Fan Club ... Friends and teachers that I’ll miss ... “Never say never” ... Good luck ... Do your best and you’ll become someone special.

Ayesha Robinson ... 54 So.13th St ... 6-24-74 ... Cancer ... Fatima ... 374-6977 ... Rutgers University for Accounting ... Career Day ... “Give me mine” ... Get the job done ... Knowledge is infinite ... You never stop learning.

Doris Robinson ... 212 N.9th St ... 9-26-73 ... Libra ... Chug ... 483-4647 ... Union County ... When the Class of 92 became a family ... “It’s so hard to be a Barringer Blue Bear” ... Pay for your expenses ahead of time ... There’s no stopping us now.

Terrill Robinson ... 227 6th Ave ... 8-2-73 ... Leo ... Cap N’ Crunch ... 483-6239 ... U.C.L.A ... Captain of the football team ... “You beat you fat boy” ... Best wishes.

Adelina Rodriguez ... 126 Parker St ... 10-16-72 ... Libra ... Lissie ... Computer Programmer ... “Eat sh—” ... Have a better year.

Melvin Rodriguez ... 52A Victoria Ave ... 6-8-74 ... Deck-star ... 485-6533 ... Lincoln Tech. for Drafting and Design ... “Peace” ... Best of luck.

Mildred Rodriguez ... 261 Broad St ... 3-19-73 ... Pisces ... Milly ... 289-4117 ... Data Processing ... Noel bothering me ... “I don’t think so” ... Good luck ... Thanks to my family and my best friend Annie for everything.

Osmar Rodriguez ... 284 4th St ... 2-9-73 ... Aquarius ... Dragon ... 481-0992 ... Lincoln Tech. for Architect ... When I saw my report card ... “I like that jam-mie” ... Go for it.



"While forbidden fruit is said to taste sweeter, it usually spoils faster."

Abigail Van Bur-en

Elsie Romero ... 227 Lake St ... 5-11-73 ... Taurus ... Else ... 482-6039 ... Maryland University for Chemistry ... Volleyball, Acropolis Newspaper, Yearbook ... The best trips ... "You never know what you have until you lose it" ... Class of 92 is the best ... Thanks to all the teachers especially Mr. Williamson.

Carmen Rosa ... 91 Clifton Ave ... 10-22-74 ... Libra ... Nani ... 485-0945 ... Aspira Club, Student Council Rep ... "I'm serious" ... Best of luck.

Ninawattie Samaroo ... 350 Summer Ave ... 2-20-74 ... Pisces ... Debbie ... 483-5637 ... Bloomfield College ... Cutting class ... "It's none of your business" ... Best wishes ... Nough respect to Barringer.

Ivan Sanchez ... 475 Summer Ave ... 10-1-74 ... Libra ... Yellow Boy ... 482-0539 ... Make Chester Posse better than what it already is ... Baseball ... Fights and fire drills ... "Oh shush" ... I hope you're as dope as the Class of 92.

Roy Sanders ... 14 Hinsdale Pl ... 6-17-74 ... Gemini ... Donovan ... 485-4831 ... Air Force and to love one woman ... Band ... "See ya" ... Have fun and good luck.

Alexander Santiago ... 204 Broadway ... 2-4-74 ... Aquarius ... Kiki ... 484-9567 ... Marines, a fighting man of America ... Baseball 90-92 ... Ms. Figueroa, Mr. Hamilton, Mrs. Cicieri ... "You're looking good" ... Work hard and carry on ... Glad to be out.

Joseph Santiago ... 5-4-74 ... Taurus ... United States Marine Corps ... Hanging out with the boys and messing around in the halls ... "You know what I mean, jellybean?"

Lamar Sears ... 111 Lincoln Ave ... 2-26-72 ... Pisces ... Bates ... 375-5056 ... Lincoln Tech for Mechanic ... Chorus, Art Club ... All the girls that kept me going ... "What's up?"

Andre Sewell ... 175 1st St. #15B ... 11-21-73 ... Scorpio ... Dre ... Trenton State for Computer Engineering ... Football, Track, Math Club, Senior Class Committee ... Black kcufed up trying to catch the tennis ball ... "Yeah, alright" ... Good luck with the Joe Clark of the school.

Pinal Shah ... 301 N. 13th St ... 11-02-75 ... Scorpio ... Shorty ... Rutgers for Nursing ... Tennis Team ... Making fun of the nerds ... "Chill" ... Best of Luck ... Good luck to all my friends at Barringer "I'll always remember ya".

Gayla Smith ... 223 So. 11th St ... 11-10-72 ... Scorpio ... Beede ... 375-2093 ... Secondary School Teacher ... Playing cards in the cafe ... "Ain't no crime in the way I get mine" ... Hang tough ... Times get hard but if you strive hard you'll become victorious.

Vanessa Solomon ... 156 Grafton Ave ... 8-14-74 ... Leo ... Lil-bit ... 481-5103 ... Rutgers for Psychology ... Senior Class Committee, Newspaper Staff, Student Council ... Graduation, Prom, being on the top 10 ... "Come on yall" ... It is better to fail at doing something great then to succeed at doing nothing ... I would like to thank my teachers.

Maribel Soto ... 111 Park Ave ... 10-15-73 ... Libra ... Lulu ... 483-5105 ... Essex County College for Business Administration ... Leaving school early ... "What?" ... Hope they all graduate ... Some teachers should care more about their students education.

Syreeta Springer ... 45 Highland Ave ... 9-18-74 ... Virgo ... Trashy ... Pediatrician... Tennis Team, Swim Team ... Laughing with my closest friends ... "Give me a brake" ... Make sure they graduate

... Good luck to the class of 92.

Esther Suero ... 169 N.12 St ... 11-18-74 ... Scorpio ... Estelita ... 482-6863 ... Seton Hall ... Volleyball, baseball, and football ... Cutting class and hanging out ... You all buttheads except for Joseph Matos ... We are the future.

Deborah Suraiballi ... 482 N. 5th St ... 11-19-71 ... Scorpio ... Deb ... 482-5270 ... Rutgers University ... Shopping ... Being on the top ten ... "You know" ... Good luck ... See ya.

Kia Taylor ... 71 So. 13th St ... 1-12-74 ... Capricorn ... Black ... 481-4450 ... Seton Hall for Accounting ... Senior Class Committee ... Best friends Daisy, Gene, Sherry, Dayshone, and Cookie ... "Hooker" ... Good luck ... Hope all the graduates of the class of 92 succeed.



"A great teacher never strives to explain his vision- he simply invites you to stand beside him and see for yourself."

Rev. R. Inman

Wyvonne Terrell ... 165 N. 12 St ... 1-28-73 ... Aquarius ... Pebbles ... 483-7943 ... FDU ... Basetball and Volleyball team ... My very close friends ... "Chicken" ... That everyone in the class of 92 go far in life ... Alway do what you think is right and don't let anyone stop you.

Carlos J. Torres ... 157 4th Ave ... 6-18-73 ... Gemini ... Carlito ... 483-5741 ... Monmouth College for Accounting ... Yearbook Staff, Newspaper Staff, Photography Club ... Senior Class Trip, Sea Side



"I care not so much what I am in the opinion of others as what I am in my own; I'll continue to be myself instead of becoming what others think of me."

Michael de Montaigne

Heights after Senior '91 Prom ... "Oh it's like that now" ... Good luck, ya need it ... Thanks to all my friends that stuck by me throughout the years, my generous sister, and supporting mother.

Jackie Torres ... 249 Mt. Clair Ave #1 ... 12-16-74 ... Little ... Rutgers University ... Math Club, and Yearbook Staff ... Getting away with murder ... "Yo baby, you got it going on" ... Hope you can achieve your goals ... Take care and be good.

Denny Valdez ... 375 7th St ... 11-12-71 ... Libra ... Preciosa ... 484-3650 ... Seton Hall University ... School and my classmates ... "Oh my God" ... I hope it's a wonderful and fruitful year.

Elvis Vasquez ... 146 N.12th St ... 4-28-73 ... Taurus ... Peluche ... 483-0893 ... Being in the halls with the girls ... "Moyeto" ... I wish you all graduate.

Laura Vega ... 160 Broad St ... 3-26-74 ... Aries ... Yasmin ... 484-8755 ...

Rutgers University for Nursing ... Teen-parenting Class ... Infant & Toddler Center ... Lots of luck in the future ... See ya Class of 92 ... Congratulations ... Peace.

Lorena Vega ... 516 Summer Ave ... 9-11-74 ... Virgo ... Lori ... 483-2293 ... Stockton State For Med. ... Yearbook Editor, Cheerleader, Newspaper ... Working with so many intellectual people in the YB Staff and the Top 3 students of 92 ... "You know it" ... "Pick up the pace" ... I love you mom ... I'll never forget the man who taught me how to love.

Daisy Velazquez ... 41 D Mt. Prospect Ave ... 10-25-72 ... Scorpio ... Day ... 484-0157 ... Seton Hall for Law ... Senior Class President, Student Council Rep ... Having friends I needed by my side and bugging out in lunch ... "Get out my face" ... Hope you have a wonderful year ... Thanks to all my teachers who supported and helped me.

Elizabeth Velez ... 12 Oriental St ... 10-20-71 ... Libra ... Lisi ... Montclair State for Pharmacy ... Aspira Club ... Being with all my best friends ... "I can't tell" ... Good luck in the future ... Thanks to my parents for being there when I needed them.

Chantel Wallace ... 51 S Pine Lane ... 8-20-74 ... Leo ... Boonie ... 481-6159 ... Hampton University for Surgeon ... Track Team ... The last day of every school year at Barringer ... "Get it together bonehead" ... For the Class of 93, pure Hell ... Thanks a lot Granny and Aunt Linda.

Jermaine Wilson ... 234 Prince St ... 9-25-72 ... Libra ... Quil ... 642-8179 ... Track ... I am in the house ... All the teachers that said I wouldn't make it, sab.

Jocelyn Woolridge ... 133 James St. 1B ... 6-30-74 ... Cancer ... Bright eyes ... Hampton University for Nursing ... N.J.I.T. Upward Bound ... "Puttin on the Hits" ... "I'm grown" ... "Mind your business" ... I'm proud of the Class of 1992 ... Good luck to Kia Taylor.

Jennifer Worthen ... 4-22-74 ... 755-8054 ... Greek Letter Society, Tennis Team, Archive History, French Club, Photography ... Carmine, Jimmy Jimmy, Rosetta, Leah ... "Seigh Heil, Seben de to ful mein kliner baurer" ... May class of 93 die from radioactivity except for Mary and Alden ... I hope never to see any of this class again.

Veronica Williamson ... 40 9th Ave ... 3-30-73 ... Aries ... Vern ... 481-9721 ... Rutgers for Computer Programming ... All the parties at Sensations and Zanzibar ... "Yo you coolin at the Zanzibar" ... Don't let nothing stop you from getting ahead ... A shout out to all the fly boyz and Vern ... Keep it real.

Christopher Wyatt ... 109 Highland Ave ... 4-28-74 ... Rude Boy ... 484-8942 ... Montclair College for Computer Programming ... Class Trips ... "Jus cool man" ... Good luck and don't mess up.

Ronesa Youngblood ... 1915 McCarter Hwy ... 2-11-74 ... Aquarius ... Nee-Nee ... 483-5948 ... Business School ... Popping my gum in the halls ... "I don't have no gum" ... I hope life treats the class of 93 well ... I'm glad to be gettin out of here.



"You have to accept whatever comes and the only important thing is that you meet it with courage and with the best you have to give."

Elenor Roosevelt

SENIOR SUPERLATIVES



Best Dressed: Jamal



Best Dressed: Nakia



Most Friendly: Al Karim & Kia



Most Athletic: Mustafa & Christie



Best Singers: Kenneth & Verline



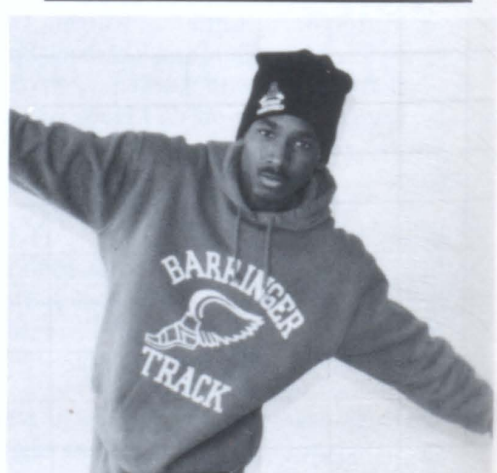
Biggest Complainer: Sherry



Best Artist: Raul



Best Dancers: Mary & Jackie



Best Dancer: Andre



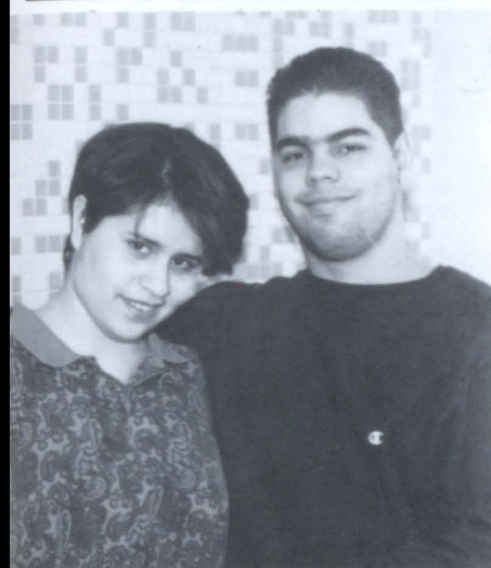
Most Likely To Succeed: Elsie & Kenneth



Most Popular: Daisy & Jermaine



Class Clown: Dashone & Federico



Best Couple: Iris & Melvin



Biggest Flirt: Felicia & Manny



Most Talkative: Sherry & Ronald



Most School Spirit: Myrna & Kenneth



Best Looking: Daisy & Anthony



Most Quiet: Elsie & Jacinto

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Anthony, Patrick, Xavier, Mike, Jermaine



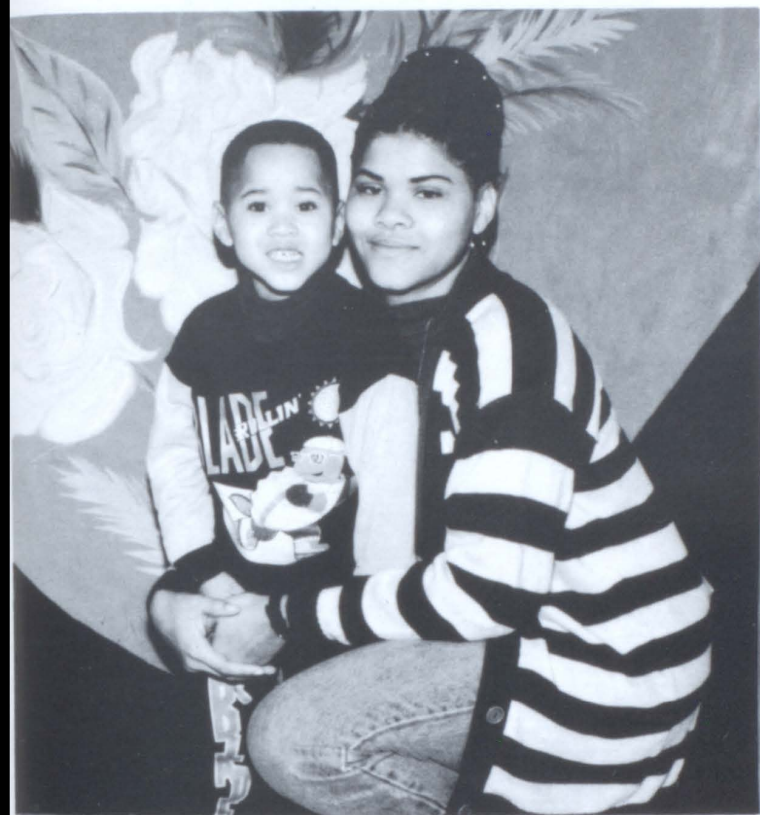
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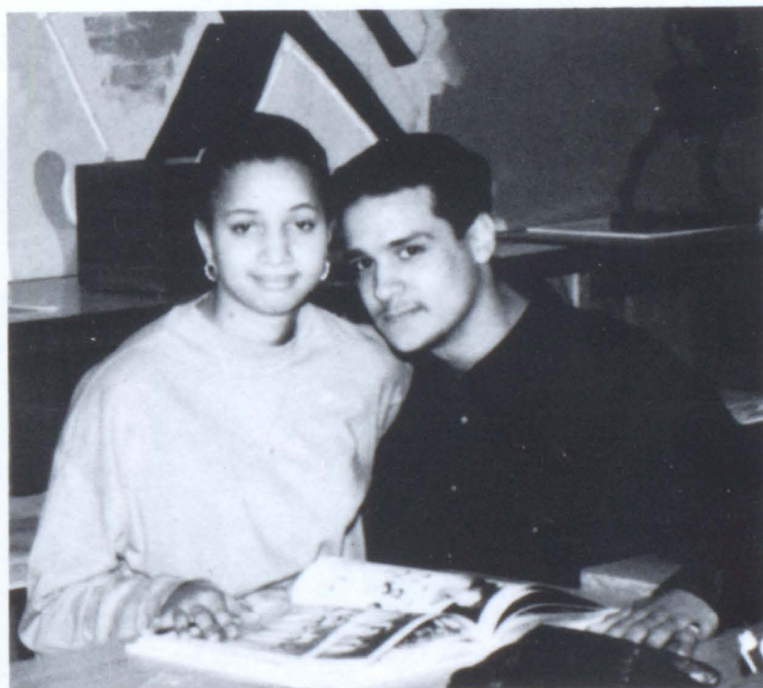
Mary & Jackie



PHOTO FANTASY DAY



Shaikl & her son
Kasim Jermaine & Khabeer



Patrick, Jermaine, Anthony, Xavier & Mike

Esther & Joe

Bloopers, Blunders, & Foulups

First time ever going into labor during school hours.

"I've fallen, and I can't get up!"



"Hurry up, don't let the teacher find out."

"There, that'll teach you, hope you like what you smell!"

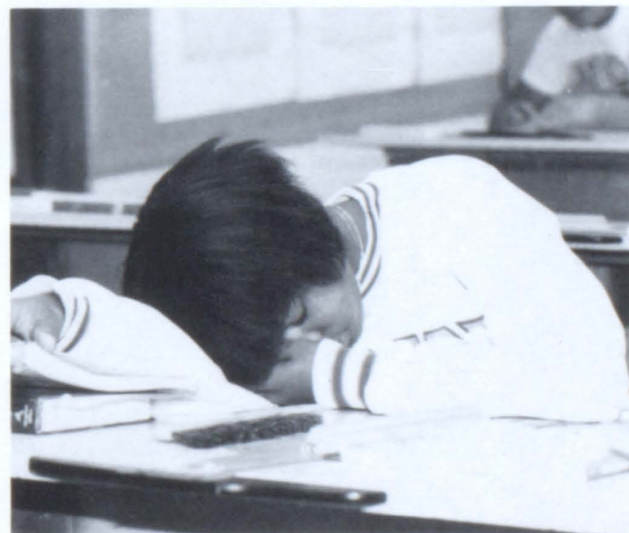
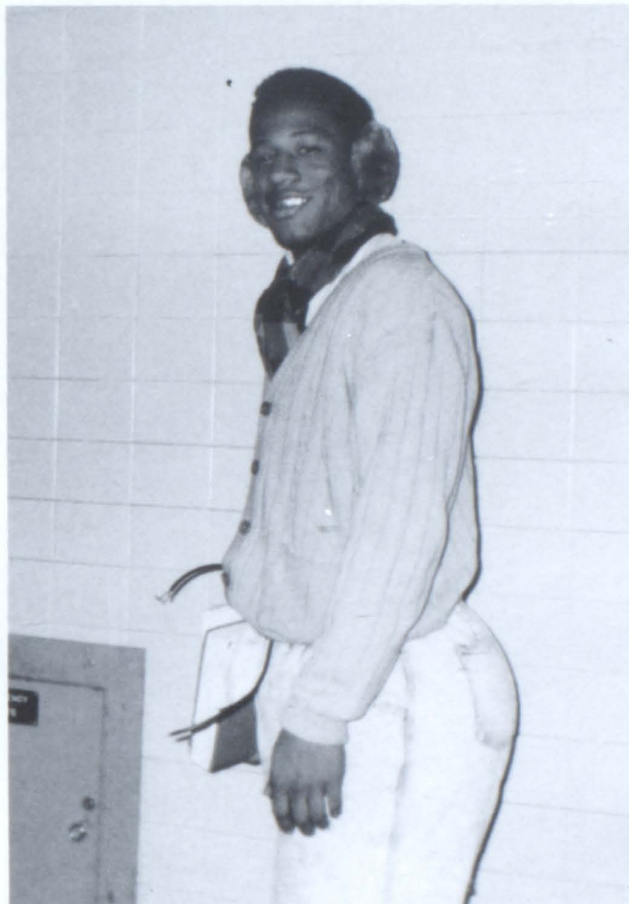
"I swear, I didn't do it . . . Honest!"





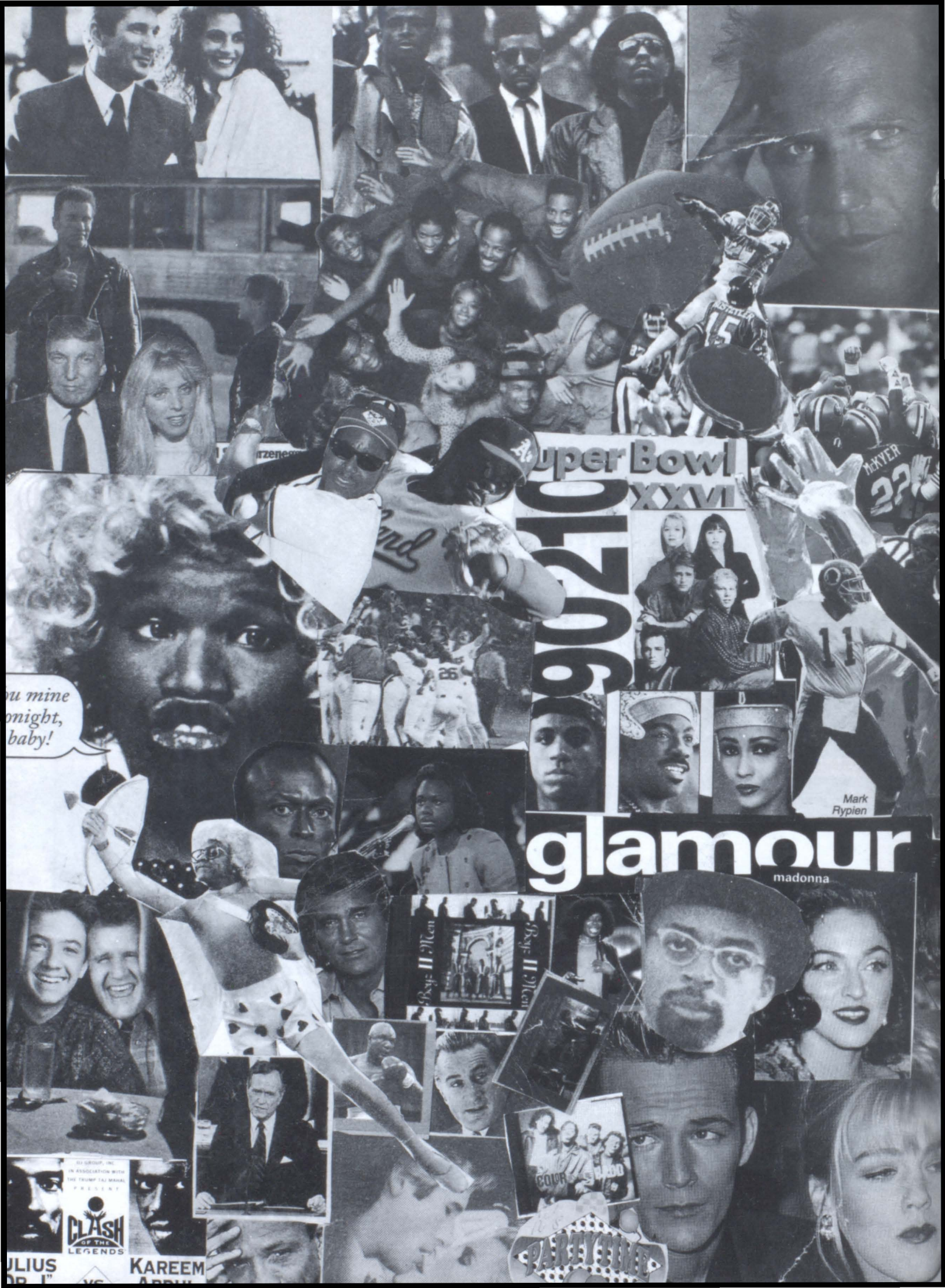
"C'mon baby, just one kiss."

"Who did you say has the biggest butt? Yeah, that's what I thought."



"Mmmm, interesting . . . not bad."

"Oh! Ahh! Chris . . . Chris . . .!"



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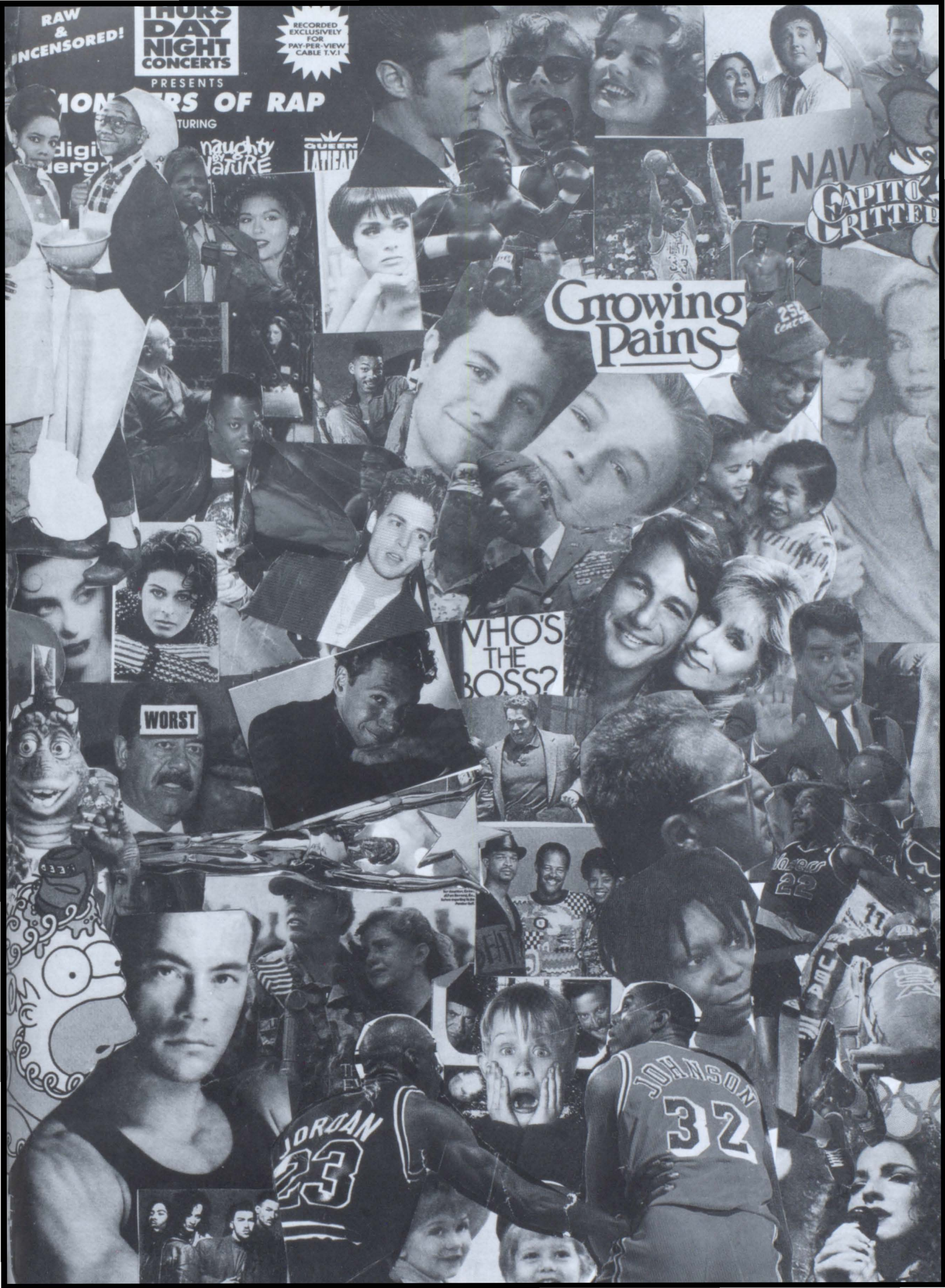
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QUEEN LATIFAH

Growing Pains

WHO'S THE BOSS?

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Last Will and Testament

We the graduating class of June 1992 of Barringer High School, Newark, New Jersey, being of sound mind and judgement, hereby declare this to be our last will and testament:

- I, Little Van, leave my gratitude, love, and forever hard work to Big Van.
- I, Baby Girl, leave all the love that is within me, and my heart to command to Boo-Boo.
- I, Vanessa Solomon, leave all my honors, awards, and diploma to mom.
- I, Heavenly "C", leave my gratitude and all the poems I ever wrote to Mr. Miller.
- I, Shorty, leave my honesty, true friendship, and forever love to all my closest friends.
- I, Lorena Vega, leave some more "competition" at William Paterson College to Elsie Romero.
- I, Daisy Velazquez, leave my memories to all my favorite teachers and friends.
- I, Lori, reserve a day(s) for a date(s) with F. Pinto.
- I, Elsie Romero, leave the happy memories of our friendship to Ester and Joe.
- I, D.L., leave the memories of our love and friendship that will never fade away to Efrain Ponce.
- I, Myrna Ponce, leave great memories to all my teachers and friends.
- I, Laurie Phipps, leave my sweet personality, intelligence, and body that "you can't touch" to all the cute guys of '92.
- I, Felicia Fair, leave my tight jeans and my body to all the cute guys in Barringer.
- I, Maritza Lopez, leave the best of luck and happiness in the years to come to all my fellow classmates.
- I, Ronsha Youngblood, leave my love, affection, honesty, body and soul to Darrel Dean.
- I, Regina Hemingway, leave friendship, love, care, and respect since 1987 to Vanessa Solomon.
- I, Esther Suero, can't leave my brains because I don't think I have one. So instead, I leave my heart and all my love to Joe so it can pull him through hard times that have yet to come.
- I, Trina Flood, leave love, peace, happiness, and a long prosperous life to everyone in the world.
- I, Tomika Crook, leave my intelligence and possessions to my loved ones.
- I, Elsie, leave the memories and moments we shared to Jermaine Wilson.
- I, Legs, leave myself to Lawrence on Prom night.
- I, Laurie, leave my pain in the "butt" friend lots of love.
- I, Carlos Torres, leave all ya suckers behind.

The Senior Class of 1992 wishes to leave the following:

Mr. B. O'Neal, a dog collar to capture students in the hallway.
Mrs. C. Furnari, more reliable seniors.
Mrs. S. Reyes, a date with Sal, and a private office.
Mr. A. DelGuercio, more trip slips.
Mrs. A. Hutton, a more enthusiastic AP class.
Mrs. F. Pignatelli, a 1992 Corvette, red of course.
Mrs. C. Bornstein, smarter students.
Mr. M. Dowdell, a lifetime supply of ties.
Mr. K. Rocco, lots of turtle-necks.
Mrs. J. Grove, a sweeter personality, and lots of smiles.
Mrs. Baskerville, a drama team as good as ever.
Mrs. E. Blackmon, a new, more interesting, and actually advanced A.P. History class.
Dr. J. Sea, a new supply of sweaters.
Mr. P. Miller, real antiques.
Mr. W. Hope, hope.
Mrs. Said, dependable and realistic students.
Mrs. A. Rice, a chem.II experiment that works at the first try.
Mr. S. Johnson, a new sweatsuit with Blue Bears.
Mrs. D. Posterraro, a 1993 Buick station wagon.
Mrs. K. Parsons, wealthy seniors to pay their dues.
Mr. M. Rivers, more "amigas"
Mr. P. Hamilton, less crisis.
Mr. S. DiGerlando, a yearbook staff with just as much promise as the '92 staff.
Mr. F. Martinez, Disney World.
Mr. R. Berggren, more members for your Close-Up club.
Mrs. M. Meravi, less messy infants and toddlers.
Mr. W. Martinez, more cooperative seniors.
Mr. J. Cascella, God, and some more passes.
The Class of '93, a prayer to save the class, and money to pay dues.

In witness of, we here unto set our hand and seal, this twenty-third day of June, one thousand nine hundred and ninety-two.

Lorena Vega
Laureen Phipps
Sal DiGerlando

Lorena Vega
Laureen Phipps
Sal Di Gerlando

Homeroom 323 -The Past three years have been great seeing your smiling faces every morning. I wish all of you the very best in whatever you choose to do. May God bless and watch over each and everyone of you. I'll never forget you and I love you all.

Good luck -Mrs. Immerso

To all of my students: I am extremely proud of you. With faith, determination, and perserverance you have weathered the storm, overcoming numerous obstacles and challenges. You have excelled. You have met the first test of success. So go forth and give the world your best.

To the Class of '92 May the road ahead be not so hard and your dreams fulfilled.

J. DiPietro

To all members of the class of "92" you hold our future in your hands - Handle with care.

G.F. Royster

To Christopher Wyatt: It has been a pleasure having you as a student. May you realize fabulous rewards in all your endeavors.

G.F. Royster

To Lillian Padilla I think you are one of the finest young ladies I know! May the best in life be yours.

G.F. Royster

To Gayla Smith: You have great potential to go a long way. Utilize your talents in a positive manner to achieve success. Good Luck!

G.F. Royster

Tonya Jackson, the impossible is not impossible for you. Believe!

Ms. Parsons

Laurie, you're a true friend. Stay that way. R.M.A. Love,

Vanessa

To Van: Someone that is dear to me. Hope you succeed in all you do in life. Love, your Godmother,

Vanessa

To the class of 1992, Good luck in the future.

Bob Eineker

Mommy, I love you very much. I've always been the most beautiful flower in your garden, but soon this rose will be gone with the wind . . . Please accept my apologies for having hurt you. Just remember, you hurt me too . . . I will always cherish you, dear mother, N.Q..

God bless, Lorena Lori Vega C/O '92

To my son, Kenneth Jerry: There are thousands of stars in the sky. None of them out-shine you in my eyes. When I gave you life, I never thought I would or could feel the pride, love, and joy I feel today. You are every mother's dream. Love always,

Mom & Lil Keoon

To the lost boys from Broadway Jr. High C/O '89, I'll miss you dearly, and I treasure the memories. Think of all the fun we could have had if what we know now, we would have known then! Lots of love, hugs, and kisses - well, maybe we'll hold on for that- to you all.

Lorena Lori Vega

To mom, I've finally made it. But I know it doesn't stop here. I'm sure with your support I'll make it through no matter what. To those people like my aunts, sisters and brothers that supported me, thanks for everything. For those who thought I couldn't do it, I did.

Love Carlos Torres

Ronesha's writing a few words to the graduates of '92 to say good luck in the near future. To my man Darrel, "I LOVE YOU".

Youngblood

To my best friends, Pinal and Sonja, good luck!

Shiva

Mr. Di Gerlando, we wish you the best of everything. It was fun working with you and the staff! Thanks for the great experience. We just hope next year your YB room will be crowded with members. We'll miss you!

Yearbook Staff '92

From this day forward, promise me you'll be a very successful person in a respectable position. Please, never give up hope, for in every today, there is a tomorrow. God bless you, Lorena.

Liquor Drop

To the graduating class of 1992, do your best and nothing less. Don't let nothing get in your way. Press on toward the goal, to win the prize. Phil 4:12-14

Trina

Mom, all the hard work that I've done is dedicated to you and dad. Dad I miss you, but thanks for the inspiration you left me.

Vanessa Solomon

Lori Vega, you sure gave me lots of competition. You really kept me trying for more. Keep up the good work. Don't give up, 'cause it pays up in the end.

Elsie

To Mr. Dowdell, we've been watching you, and we think you're fine. Keep up the good looks. Your wife is very lucky to have someone as good-looking as yourself.

Anonymous L.P. & V.S.

To Mrs. Blackmon, I must say that your old enough to be my mother, but fine enough to be my girl. Keep making your students use those critical thinking skills and thanks for believing in me.

Love Carlos Torres

Shout Outs

To our beloved son, Manuel Gonzales Jr. Who we are so proud of. We wish you the best of luck in your future plans. We will always be there for you. We love you very much your parents,



Manuel and Minerva Gonzales.

To Vanessa, You are someone I'm really proud to call my daughter. I know you have come a long way, but you still have a long way to go. I know that you are going to make it because you are someone who likes a challenge. But that's not the only challenge you have to deal with, you also have to deal with life and that's a challenge all by itself. I love you very much.



Your Mom

Good luck to all graduates from the Brown family. We love you Rashana and we hope the best for your future.

To my four favorite people: Shaikil, Melissa, Felicia & Teenella. I'll miss all of you and the "discussions" we had. Keep your heads up high and "dare to be different". James 1:2-4.



Love Trina

To Laurie, Congratulations on your high achievements, I am very proud of you. Thanks to God, who has brought you this far. In all your ways acknowledge the lord and he shall direct your paths. Love your Cousin,



Eric LeBlanc.

I'd like to thank my parents for bringing me into this world. I'm so proud of myself, because out of eleven children, I'm the only one to graduate from high school. I also want to wish all my friends- Good Luck in 1992 and the future.



Elizabeth Velez

Capturing 91-92



While most people enjoyed their summer sweating at the beach and at parties, I spent the summer sweating bullets to create the initial designs for the 1992 Athenaeum yearbook. For two months, I collected ideas from magazines and books, and combined them with my own ideas. Onto blank pieces of graph paper, I drew the basic concepts of the theme. I was determined to make this book a success, both in design and in execution.

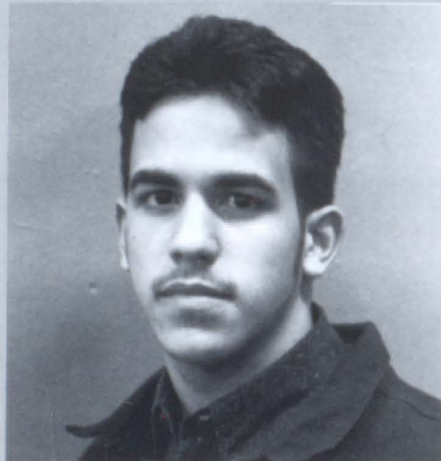
During Christmas vacation, when most students were shopping, and wrapping gifts, I was designing the Student Life section of the yearbook. This became a compilation of stories from my experiences as a high school student, and that of students I spoke to. There were many more hot issues seniors were engaged in, but there were not enough pages- nor time- to capture all of Barringer student life.

Some of the most important aspects of a seniors life and love experiences are within these 192 pages. They were created with the utmost care and respect to the senior class. Indeed, it became the pinnacle of excellence in Barringer yearbooks because it was designed by students of the most elite class to ever transpire from the High. Students who cared!

Editor In Chief- Lorena Vega

An extraordinary, creative and unique yearbook was the vision of the Athenaeum Staff '92. Now you have seen it; the product of a hard working and dedicated group. Never again will there be a book, or crew like '92'. The Senior Class demanded a great book and the staff made sure of that.

We would like to thank Mrs. Ellen Stahl, Herff Jones representative, who promised the staff a different book- which she delivered! Indeed, we were the staff from hell, but that's what kept us hot and moving to produce the best book ever.



As Activities Editor, I've learned that working on the yearbook is no easy task. It took alot of time and effort in order for us to make the yearbook interesting to all of our classmates. Although it wasn't all work we also shared alot of funny moments together, especially when the entire crew was there. I'd like to thank Laureen for all the help you gave me putting my section together. For all those juniors and sophomores who plan to join the yearbook staff- beware of Mr. D., because "it ain't finished till it's perfect".

To the class of 92 & all my friends- good luck and wish you the best of success. Keep in touch.

Activities Editor- Carlos Torres





Jennifer- You have bloomed from a quiet, shy girl, to a young lady who knows what she wants from life- and is determined to get it. Alex, Tara and I want to congratulate you on your graduation. And I want to thank you for all you have contributed to the yearbook and newspapers.

Lori- Every once in a decade a student of your caliber comes to Barringer. We could not have done a yearbook without your vision and insight. You were truly dedicated to a superior Athenaeum- and you have reached your goal. I can now exhale a giant "breathe" of satisfaction.

Laureen- With two years of work on the yearbook as editor-in-chief, and as chief editor of the newspaper, you have truly left a bit of yourself here at Barringer. I have seen you emerge into a real journalist.

You have steered the yearbook, and especially the newspaper into areas that our school has not ventured. And with your influence and dedication, you have left a positive mark on the publications that will be printed here at Barringer for the next ten years. Thank you to my three amigos. Di



For the last three years, I have dedicated my afternoons to insure the sports section was completed with perfection. To Mr. Di Gerlando- I wish I could be here to help next year.

I hope that next years crop of students appreciate the privilege of working on this yearbook, as I have. And, As future classes proceed, I wish every yearbook launched was as complete a success as ours.

It has been a pleasure working with some of Barringer's finest. Words cannot express the enlightenment that I have experienced being a part of a team that worked as one unit.

Sports Editor-Jennifer Worthen



Since my junior year in BHS, I have been serving life- imprisoned in Rm 104! Well, as I type my last words as co-editor in chief of the Athenaeum, I must say - I'll miss it. Now, we can all take our last deep breath because "it's finally over".

The first day that I came downstairs (sophomore year) to join the yearbook staff, I never thought that it would become so much a part of my life. I'll always cherish the experience and fun I had working on the Athenaeum.

To the yearbook staff: I had a great time working with such creative minds. I hope you always remember the deadlines when Mr. D would pull his hair out proof-reading our last minutes work. We even broke a record for working in school until 9 pm. Although the staff was small, we got the job done.

Mr. D- It's "sike" not "sic". I had a wonderful experience working with you on the yearbook and the newspaper. Thanks for all the encouragement and advice you gave me!

Editor In Chief-Laureen Phipps

T^{Truth} HONOR *and Light*

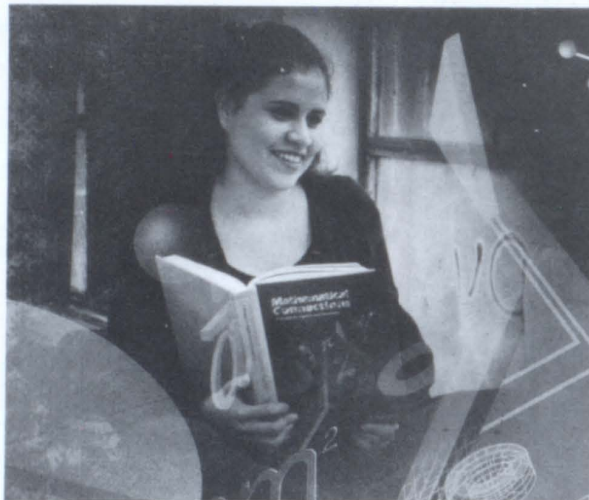
Think back to your first day in Barringer High School when you were just an underclassman. Do you remember the smiles you received- until the upper crust discovered that you were "only a sophomore".

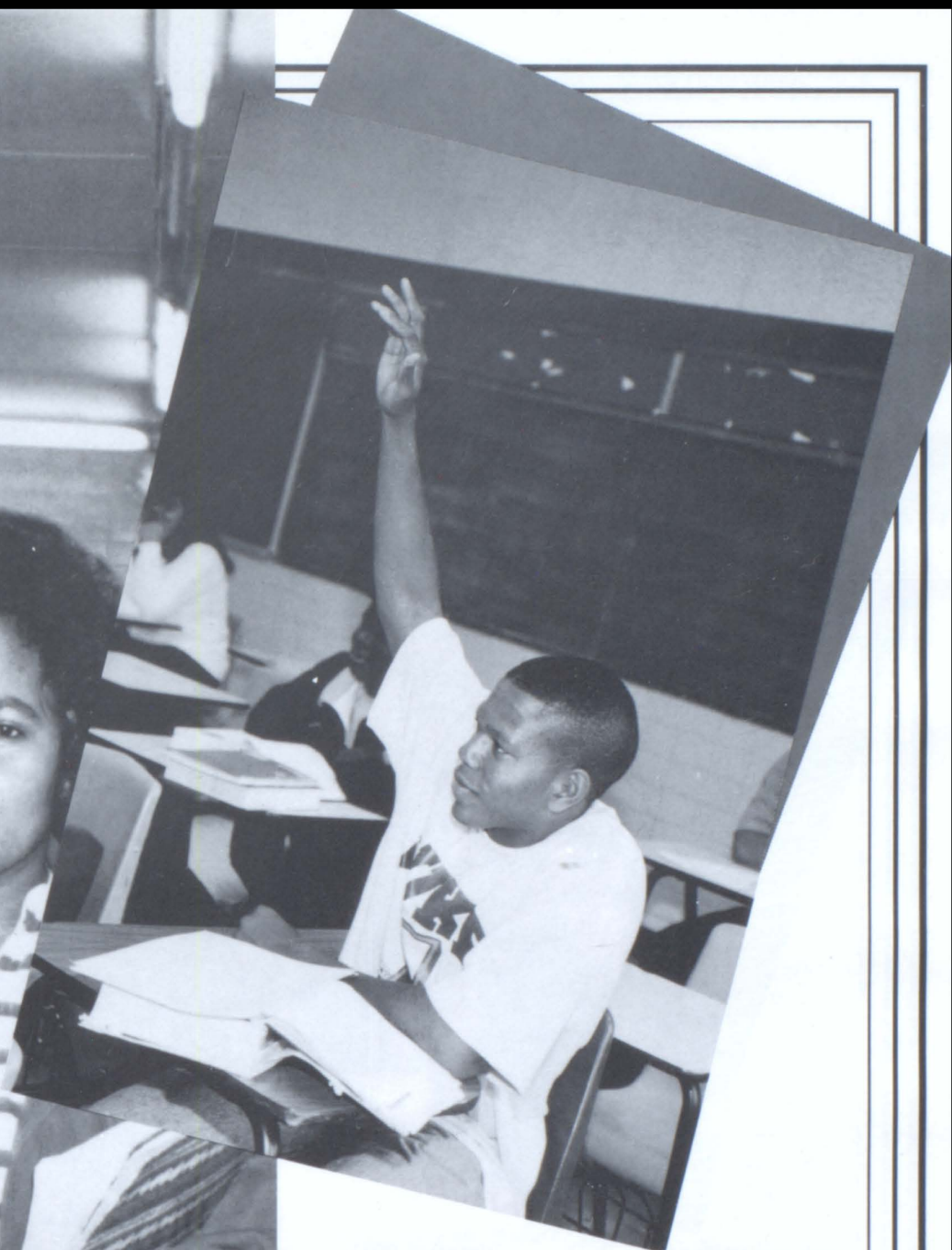
Senior events, announced over and over, that happened to exclude the non- privileged, made us say, "I can't wait to be a Senior". But it seemed like that day would never come. So, in the meantime, we tried to make the best of it.

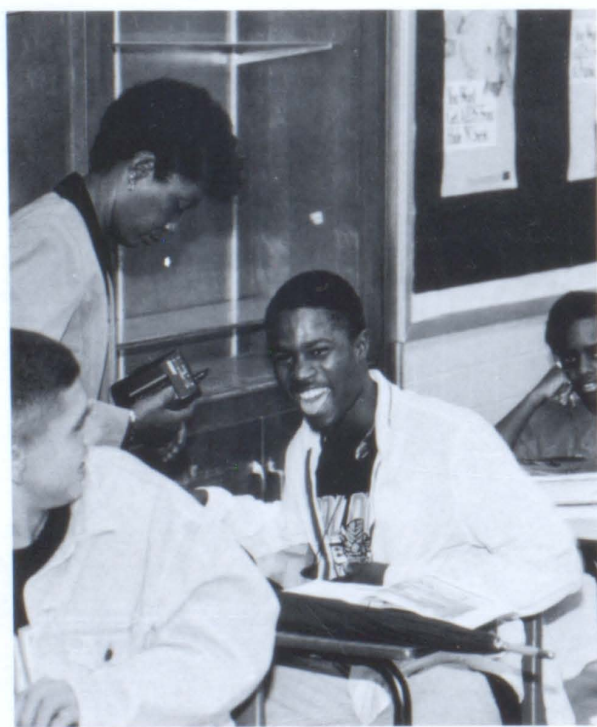
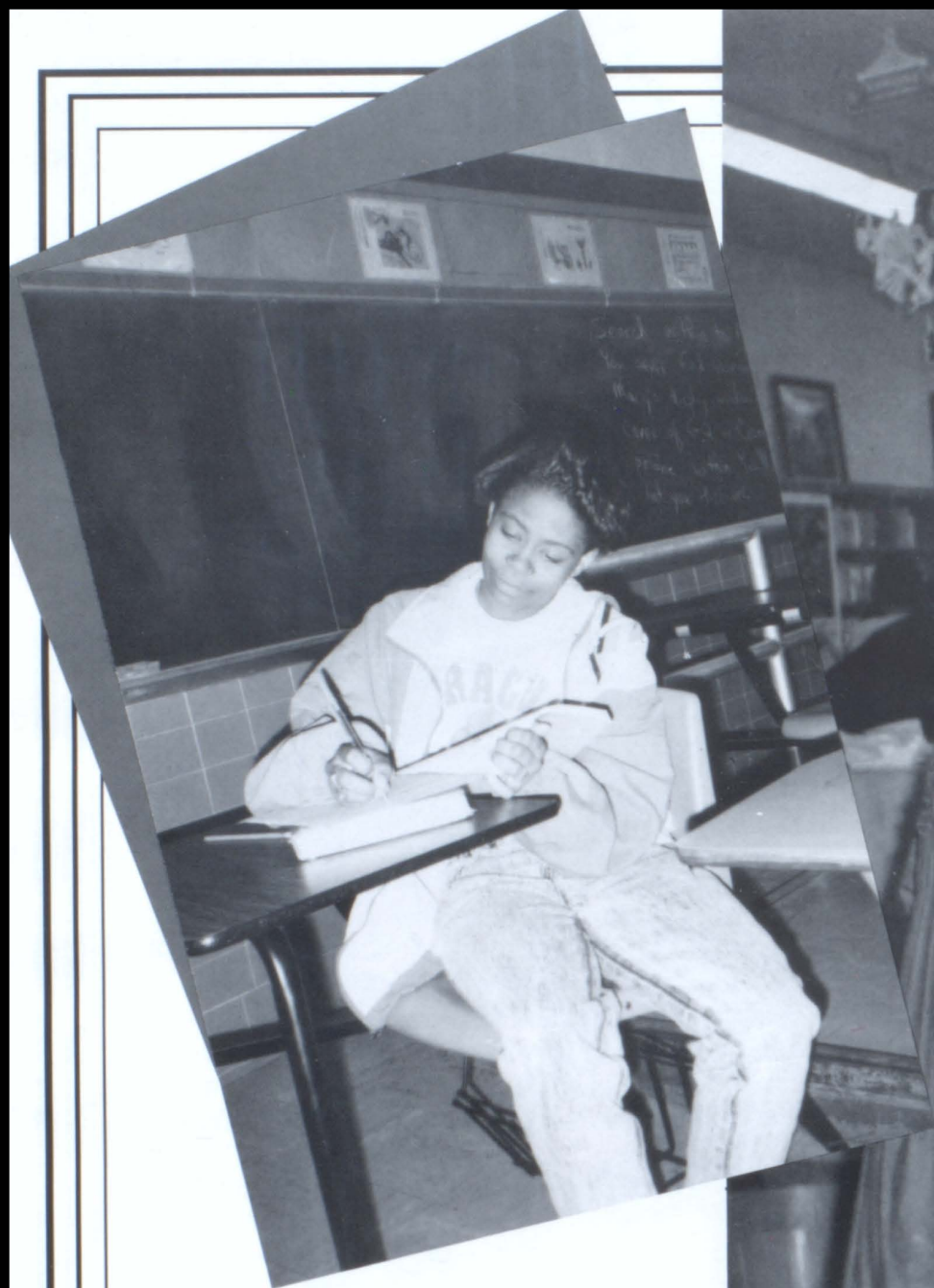
We quickly adjusted to the routine. Those of us who were lucky not to have homework on weekends, were able to relax and party. But for the rest of us, we had to work- money matters became important.

Throughout the school year, we were faced with more obligations and commitments. We listened attentively to the words of the wise, who stressed the importance of

an education. "Our future was in our hands", and this was our opportunity to make "dreams come true". Seated in class, with a notebook and attentive ears, our eyes were opened to the reality and hardships of life.





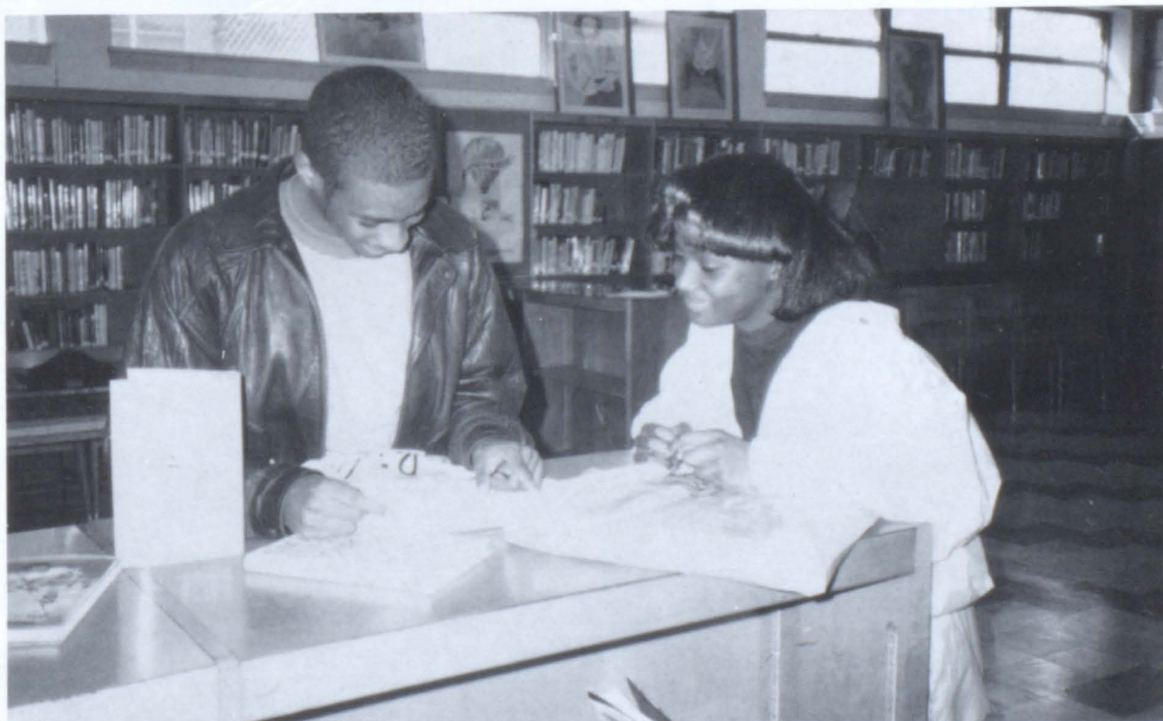


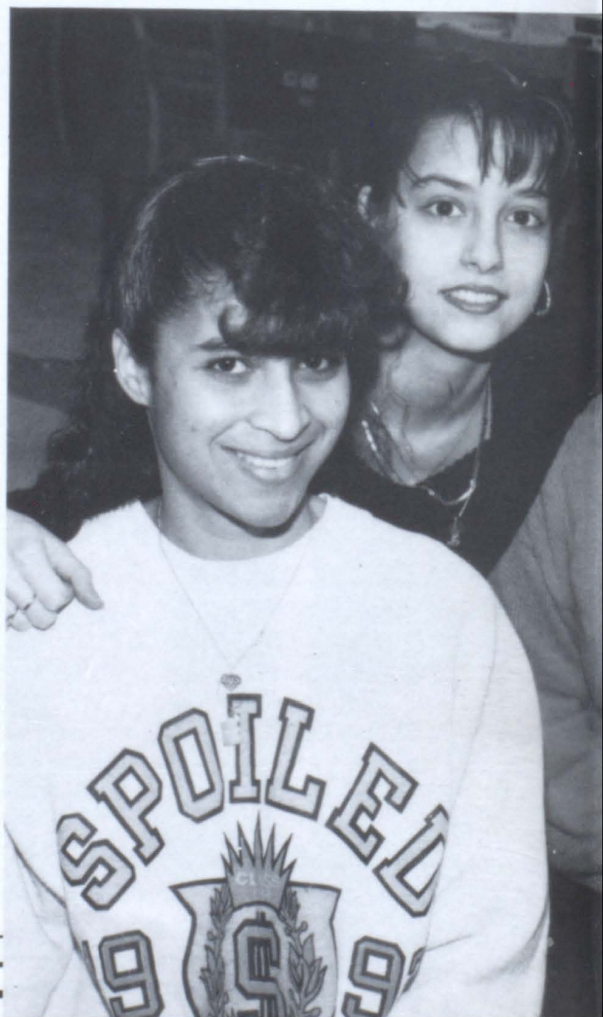
Truth HONOR *and Light*

It's early September, and we're finally seniors! Our fourth and last year of high school. But it was far from over- or so it seemed. Tests, college applications, and es-

says awaited to be completed. This was only the beginning of a year filled with decisions that would affect the rest of our lives.

Then there was the disease of almost every senior: "Senioritis". This affliction would only be cured with a diploma. Everyday teachers were faced with infected Seniors, who dragged their exhausted bodies into class, and complained. "I can't take it anymore", or "I can't wait to graduate" were typical lines uttered by tired seniors. Schoolwork was the last thing on our minds, but completing it was not an option. To graduate, it was a must- unless we wanted grades that would land us back in school for another year! It was painful, but we were reassured again and again, that it would soon be over.





Truth HONOR and Light

Four years of stress and anxiety are finally over. Sneaking in your locker in-between classes and roaming through the crowded hallways at Barringer are in the past. And all our fond memories with friends can never be erased. But we always need to remember why we entered this school. The experience and knowledge

gained from our studies will not only be used to accomplish our goals, but also prepare us for a long and prosperous career.

We, the Big Blue Bears will always remember the TRUTH, HONOR & LIGHT of Barringer High that kept us united as one.



Remember

Remember the old grammar school-
The teachers and friends
The plans for your future
Seeming never to end.

Recall now the tears
At your first graduation-
The diploma, the parties-
Brimmed high with elation.

Your first year in Barringer
When high school seemed new-
New teachers, new friends,
And the motto, Big Blue.

Then finally through hard work,
You enter fourth year,
Remembering all others
with joy and tear.

You have carried your problems,
the hardships endured;
And now your a Senior,
Already matured.

Now think of the future
With anticipation
And for which you have made
Four years of preparation.

Though you face a great challenge,
Both real and intense,
Your knowledge shall now grow
From experience.

In approaching this crossroad
To begin a new life,
Keep foremost in mind
TRUTH, HONOR, and LIGHT.

by Margot Coram

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